

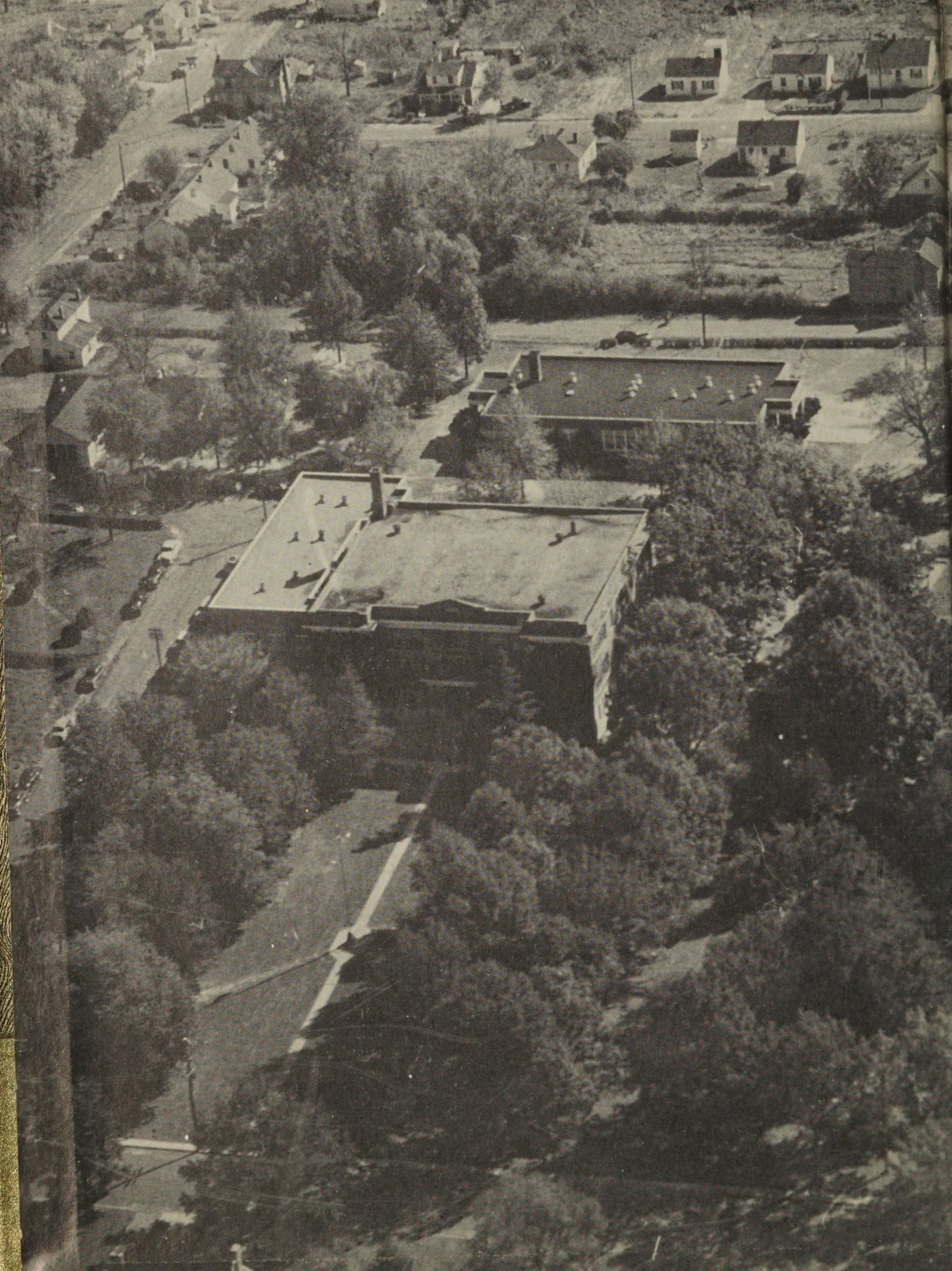


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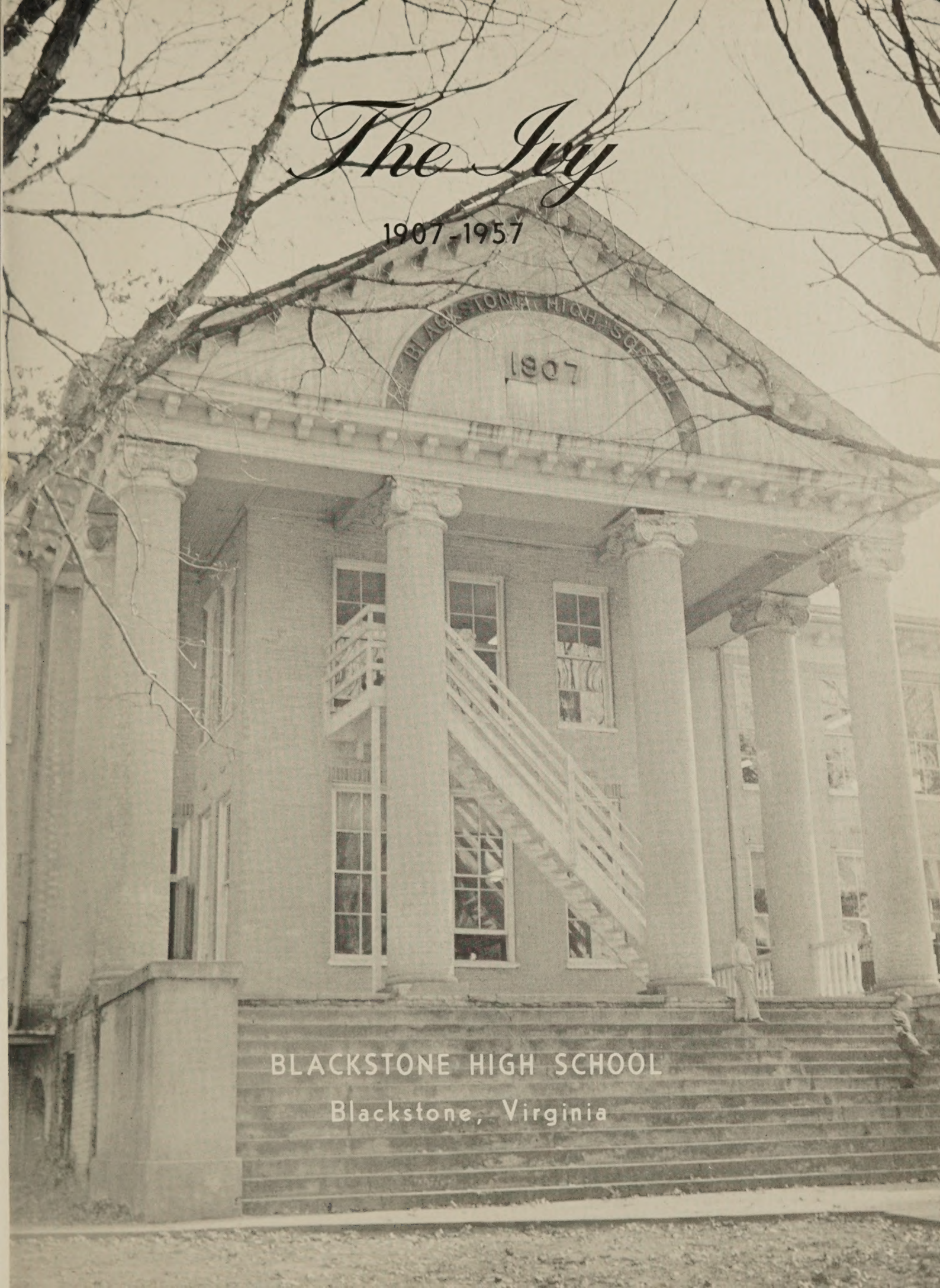
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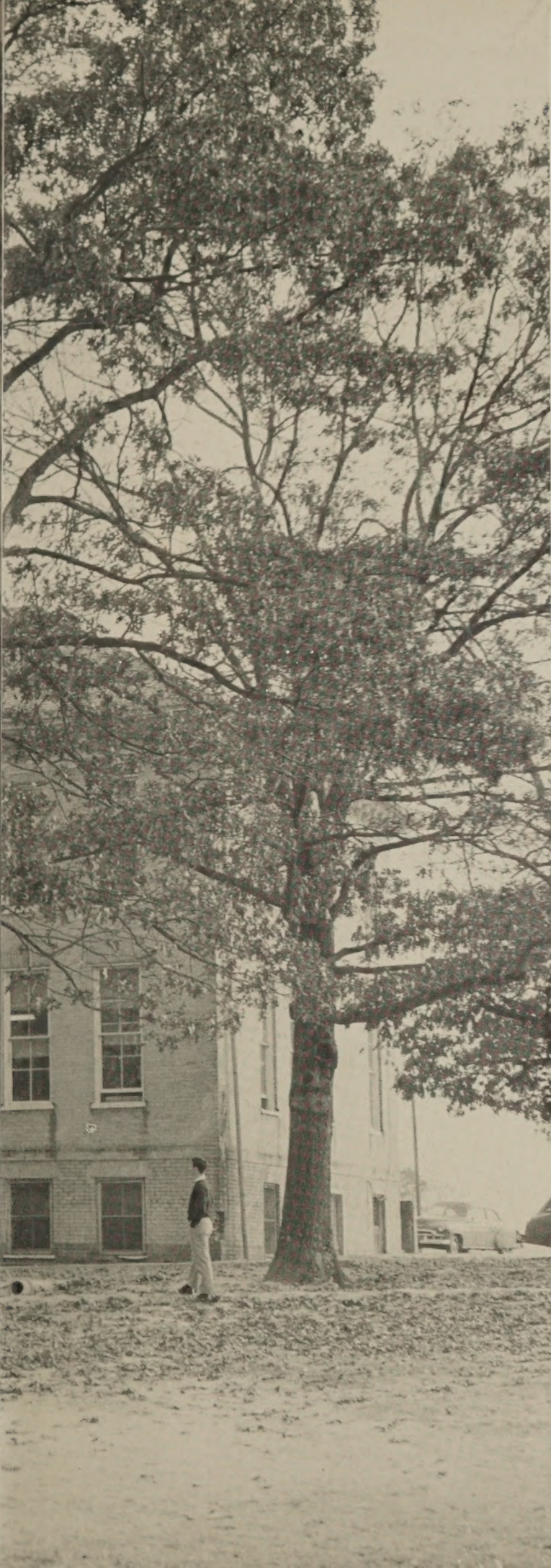
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BLACKSTONE HIGH SCHOOL

Blackstone, Virginia





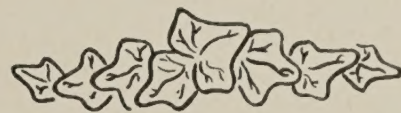
Foreword

In 1907 Blackstone High School was a pioneer in public education for rural Virginia. It set its standards high: four years of English, of Latin, of history, of mathematics, and of science. As principal there came a young college graduate, William Ralph Wrigglesworth, who, as scholar and administrator, left an indelible mark on our county.

After fifty years, the classic columns of the old school still stand proudly, symbols of a community's faith in education. Shabby and crumbling as they are now, its walls have known great teaching. Shakespeare and Vergil, Poe and Scott and Lee became alive for generations of students. From it and its companion building have come scholars and professional men who have won distinction in many fields. Boys have left to take their parts in two great wars, and children from many states and countries have found a place there.

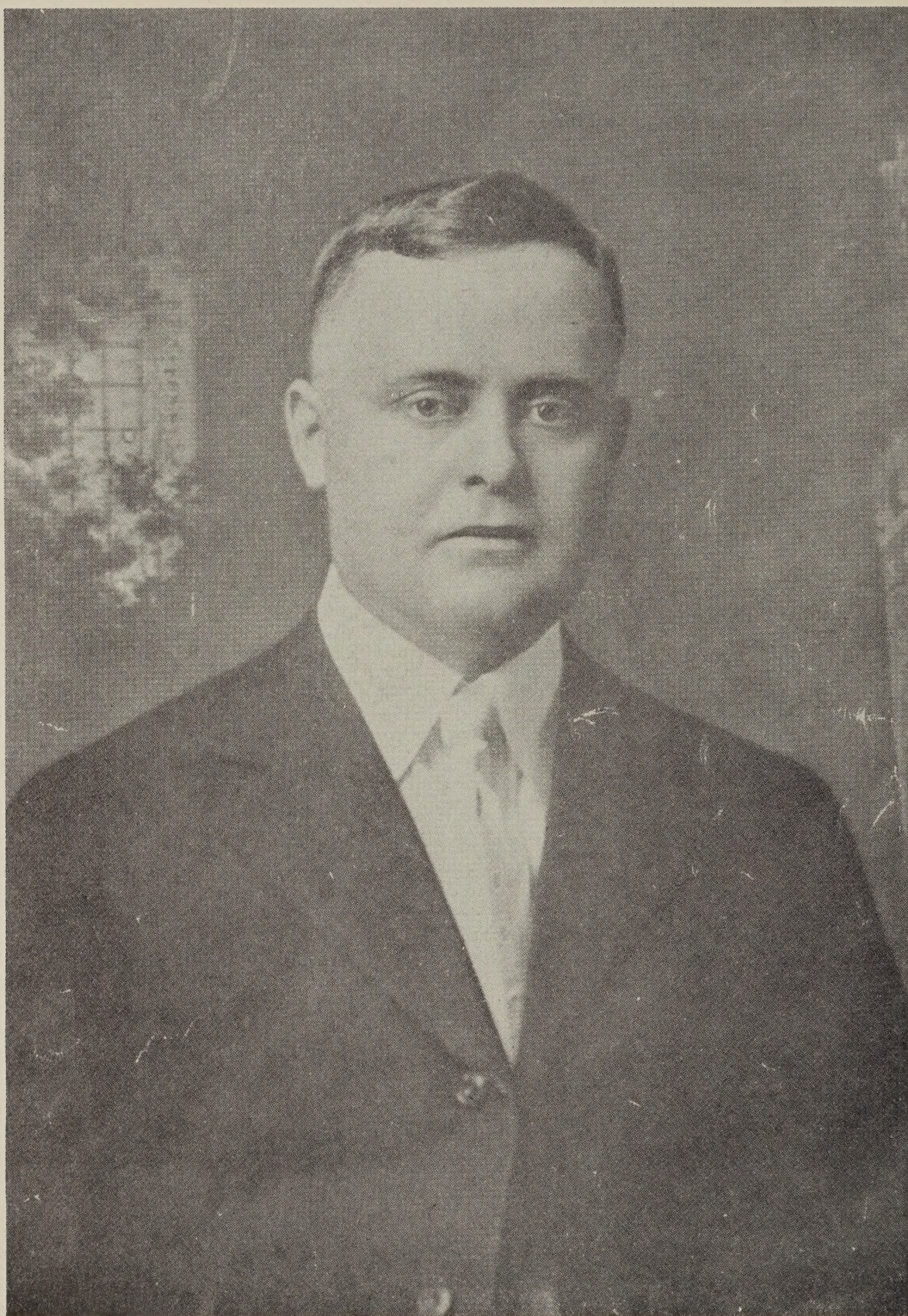
Above all, for fifty years Blackstone High School has given its students a standard and a way of life that, translated into action, has enriched our community. Young and old have been united by common memories and ideals. The students today are proudly conscious that they are the heirs of "a goodly heritage."

Therefore we have planned our anniversary volume of the IVY to show the old and the new with "the thread that runs so true" between them. We hope that all who read may be reminded of the high purposes found here: "To strive, to seek, to find, and not to yield."



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William Ralph Wrigglesworth
1881-1950

Dedication

To the beloved company of
devoted teachers
Who shaped the character of
Blackstone High School;
And especially to the memory of
William R. Wrigglesworth,
Our first principal, whose
vision, labor, and love
Live on in the life of our
school and community,
We dedicate this memorial
volume.

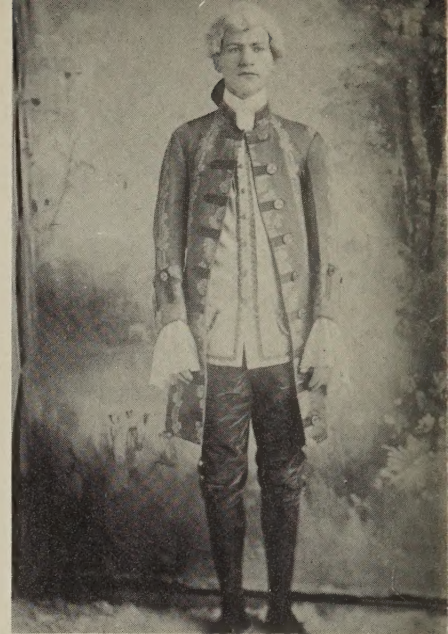
Alma Mater Song

Blackstone High School, we salute thee,
Alma Mater Dear;
With ten thousand cheers we greet thee,
Alma Mater True.
Youthful days are swiftly fleeting,
Hearts with love are proudly beating,
As we shout our joyous greeting,
Alma Mater, Hail.
Bright the stars of hope are shining,
Alma Mater Dear;
Spend no time in fond repining,
Alma Mater True.
Let no vain regrets delay thee,
May no danger e're dismay thee,
Let a life of service pay thee,
Alma Mater, Hail.

William Ralph Wrigglesworth



The third grade class of Miss Bena Epes as they appeared in 1907.



Mr. Edward Irby in the role of Sir Anthony Absolute in The Rivals, the first play, 1909.



Col. Shirley Hurt, the oldest living graduate of Blackstone High School. Col. Hurt was one of the three who graduated in the first graduating class, 1911.

Blackstone High School Through The Years...

The twenty-fifth anniversary class, 1932. Can you find anyone that you recognize? Mr. Wigglesworth is sitting on the far left.

Graduation 1956. This class marked the beginning of the end of our first fifty years.



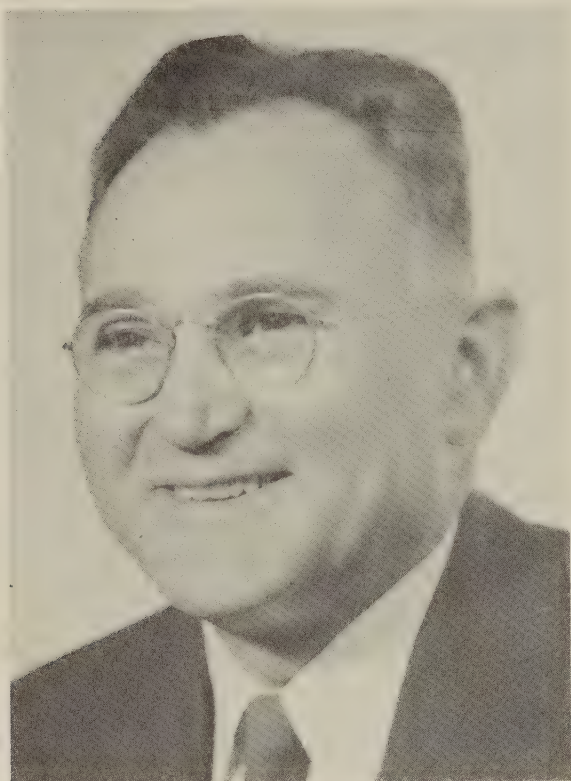


FRONT ROW: Miss Emma Brand, Miss Sarah Jackson, Miss Mary Harvey, BACK ROW: Miss
Daisy Jones, Miss Daisy Perry, Miss Lillian Martin, Miss Mary E. Lee

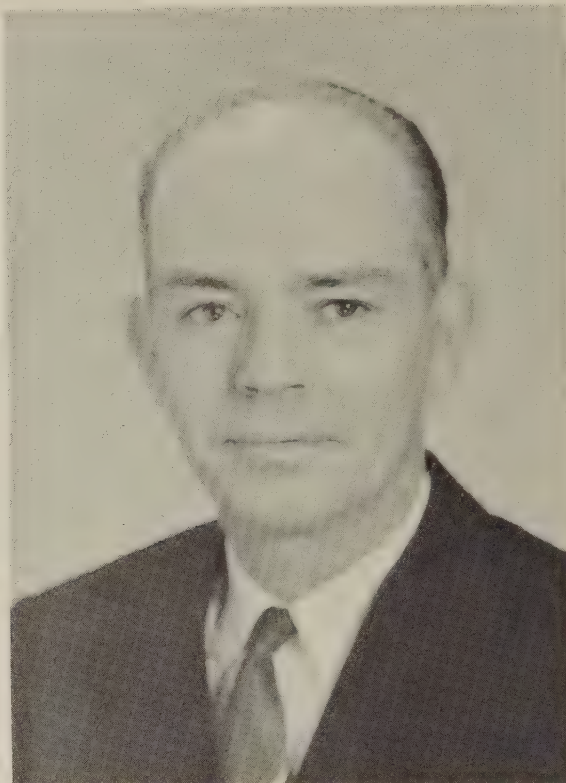
The Elementary Faculty Of 1918

Faculty

Faculty



Mr. C. M. Bussinger
Division Superintendent of Schools,
Nottoway and Amelia Counties
B.S., William & Mary



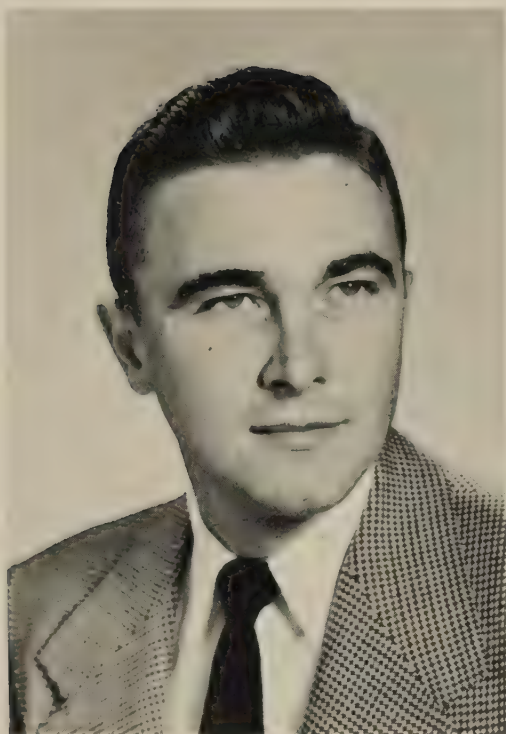
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Principal
B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute
M.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute



An office interview: Mr. Thweatt and Luto.

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B.M.E., Oberlin Conservatory
of Music, Ohio
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Mrs. Harriet Booker
Secretary to Mr. Thweatt



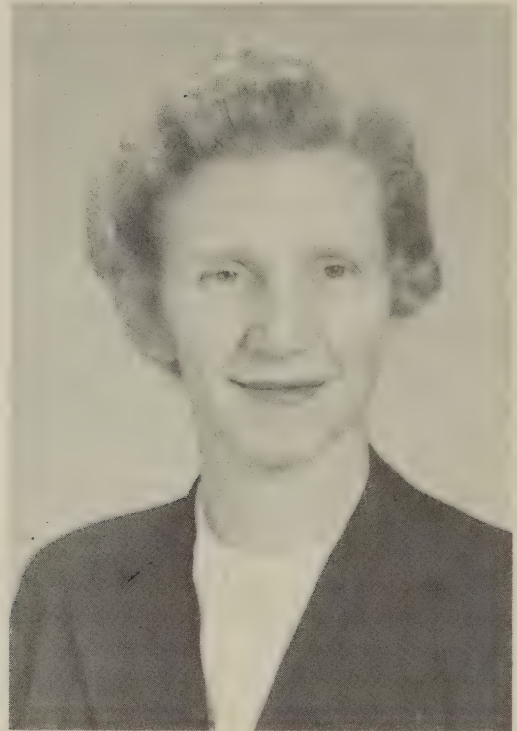
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B.S., U. of Alabama
Physical Education & Government
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Commercial Club, & Ram's Horn



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Sponsor of Ram's Horn & Junior Class



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"The stars our goal, the Lord our guide" is the motto of the Senior Class of '57. As graduates this year they can be proud of their high school days as days well spent in learning, playing, and growing. The class colors, gold and white, are symbolic of the school's golden anniversary. The flower, too, the Golden Scepter rose, emphasizes the school's Fifty years of growth. With the memory of the happy days spent here, the graduates will leave to face their future. We hope that their future will be as successful and rewarding as their past.



PATRICIA BARROW

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Class Officer 1, 2, 4; Library Reporter 2, 3, 4, 5; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Pep Club 1, 2, Sec. 3, 4, 5; Softball Manager 3; Ram's Horn 2; S.C.A. 3, 5; Annual Staff 3, Ass't Editor 4, 5; Thespian 3, 4, Sec. 5; Varsity 3, 4, 5; Quill & Scroll 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Cheerleader 1, 3, 4, Head Cheerleader 5; Plays 1, 2, 3, 4.



CHARLENE BEDALL

Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Glee Club 2, 3, 4, 5; Library 3, 4, 5; Commercial 3; Thespian 4, 5.

CHARLENE BEDALL

JOE BORUM

S.C.A. 3, 4, President 5; Library 2,3,4,5; Dramatics 1,2,3, Treas. 4,5; Varsity 2,3,4,5; Annual Staff 2,3,4, 5; Class Officer 3,4; Football 2,3,4,5; Basketball 2, Co-Captain 3,4, & 5; Baseball 2,3,4,5; Boys' State 4; Senior Play

RAY BRUGOS

F.F.A. 2,3, Treas. 4 & 5; Football 2,4,5; Baseball 3, 4,5.

BOBBY DANIELS

Football 2,3, Co-Captain 4 & 5; Baseball 2,3,4,5; Varsity 2,3,4; Board 5; S.C.A. 4,5; Dramatics 5; Plays 3,4; Basketball Manager 5.



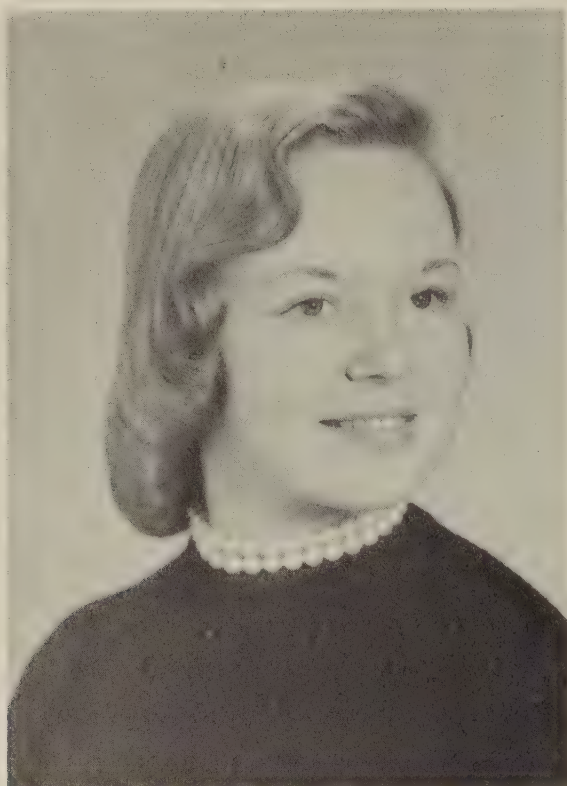
JOE BORUM



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Glee Club 2,3,4,5; Dramatics 2,3, Sect. 4,5; Pep Club 2,3,4, Vice - Pres. 5; S.C.A. 3,4,5; Class Officer 3; Commercial 4,5; Varsity 3,4,5; Softball 2,3.

FRANK DAVIS

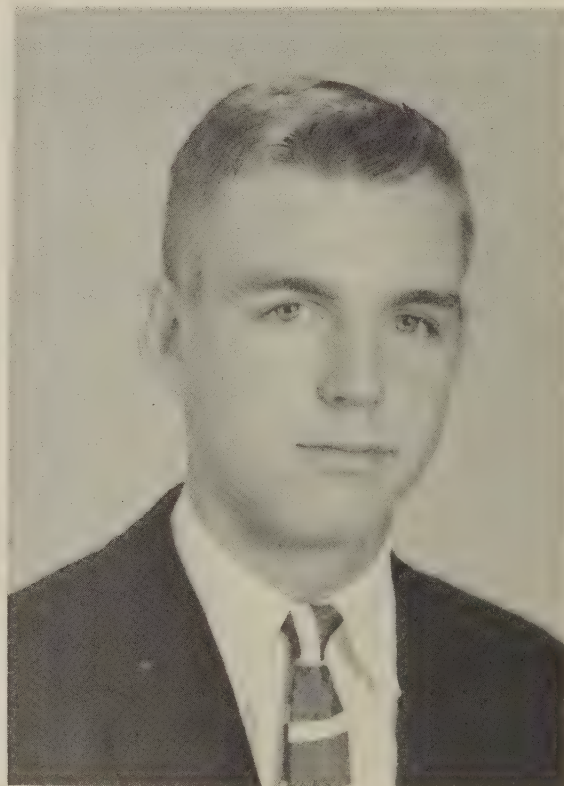
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JERRY GOOD

Football 2,3,4,5; Baseball 2,3,4,5; Basketball Manager 2; Varsity 3,4,5; Dramatics 1,2, Pres. 3,4,5; Thespian Vice-Pres. 2,3, Pres. 4 & 5; Glee Club 1, Pres. 2 & 3, 4,5; Class Officer 2; Plays 2,3,4,5.



FRANK DAVIS



JERRY GOOD

LARRY GOOD

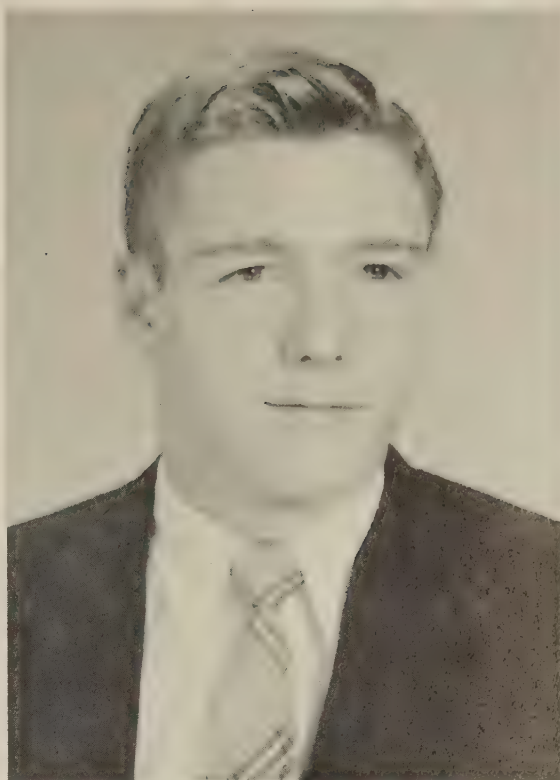
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SONNY HAMMOCK

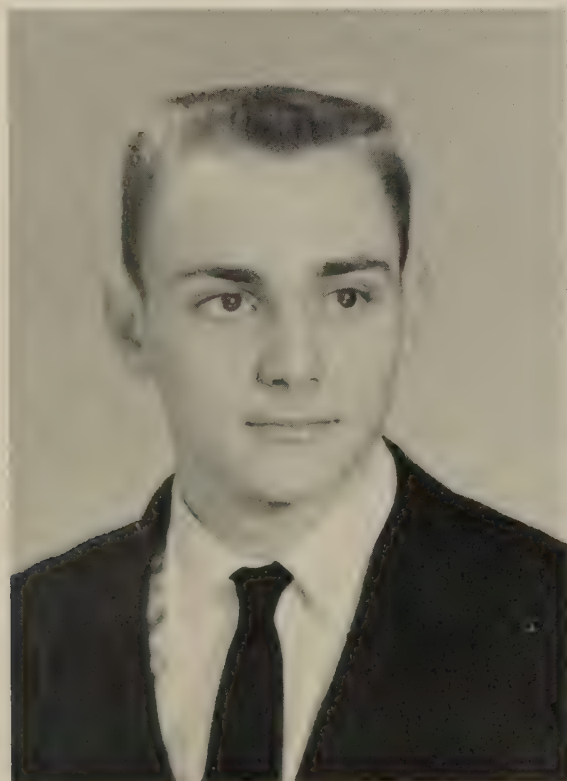
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VANIENE HARDIN

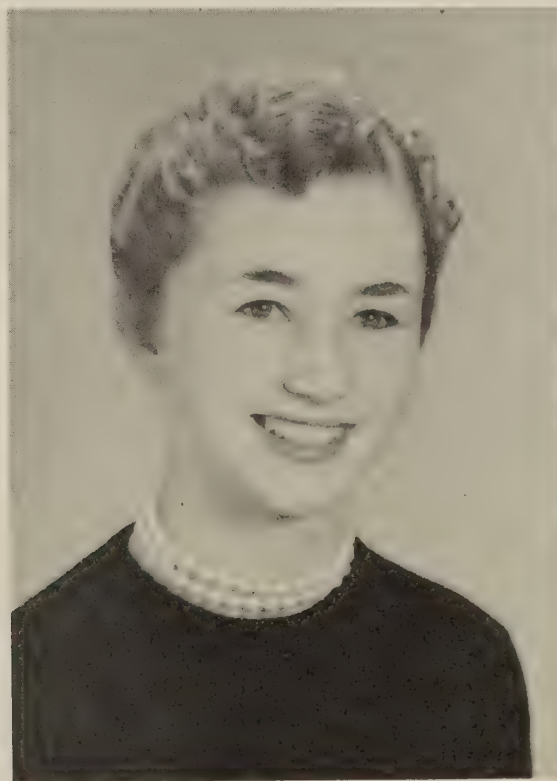
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LARRY GOOD



SONNY HAMMOCK



VANIENE HARDIN



LOIS HAWKES

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Library 1,2,3,4, Sect. 5; National Honor Society 4, Sect. 5; Ram's Horn 5; Dramatics 5; Glee Club 4,5; F.H.A. 2; Commercial 4; Plays 5; Quill and Scroll 5.

WOODROW HUDSON

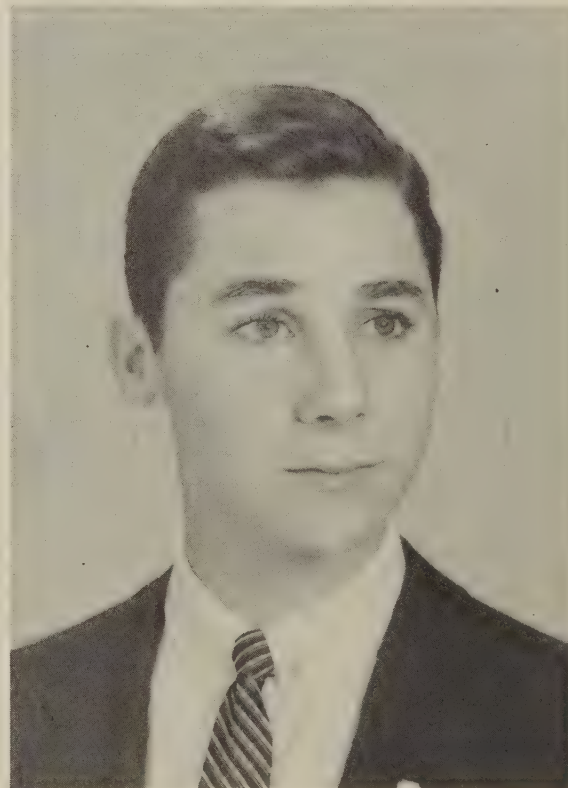
Safety Patrol 2; Class Treas. 3 & 4.

MERIWETHER HURT

S.C.A. 2,4,5; Dramatics 1,2, Pres. 3,4,5; Library 1, Treas. 2,3,4,5; Commercial 5; Safety Patrol 2; Ram's Horn 1,2; Annual Staff, Ass't Bus. Manager 3,4, Editor 5; Class Officer 4; Thespian 2,3,4,5; Varsity 5; National Honor Society 4,5; Quill and Scroll 5; S.I. P. A. 4,5; S.C.A. State Convention 2,4; Plays 1,2,3,4,5; Contest Play 3,4; Football 4,5.



WOODROW HUDSON



MERIWETHER HURT

of '57

GRAHAM JONES

Dramatics 2,3,4,5; Library 2,3,4,5; Glee Club 3,4,
Pres. 5; Varsity 3,4, Board 5; Football 1,3,4,5; Bas-
ketball Manager 3; Safety Patrol 1, Class Officer 5;
Fire Warden 5.

BETTY KJELDSSEN

Transferred 2; Dramatics 3,4, Sect. 5; Thespian 3,
Sect. 4,5; Commercial 3, Pres. 4,5; Pep Club 3,4,5;
Annual Staff 5; Varsity 5; Plays 4,5; Softball 2; Bas-
ketball 4,5; Cheerleader 5.

GLADYS KREIDER
Commercial Club 3.



GRAHAM JONES



BETTY KJELDSSEN



GLADYS KREIDER



JOHN KOONCE

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Football 2, 3, All-District 4, Co-Captain 5; Baseball 2, 3, 5; Basketball 2, 3, 4, 5; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Thespian 4, 5; Library 1, 2, 3, Treas. 4, Vice-Pres. 5; Varsity 2, 3, 4, Board 5; S.C.A. 1, Vice-Pres. 5; S.C.A. Conventions 4, 5; Plays 4, 5; Band 4, Pres. 5.

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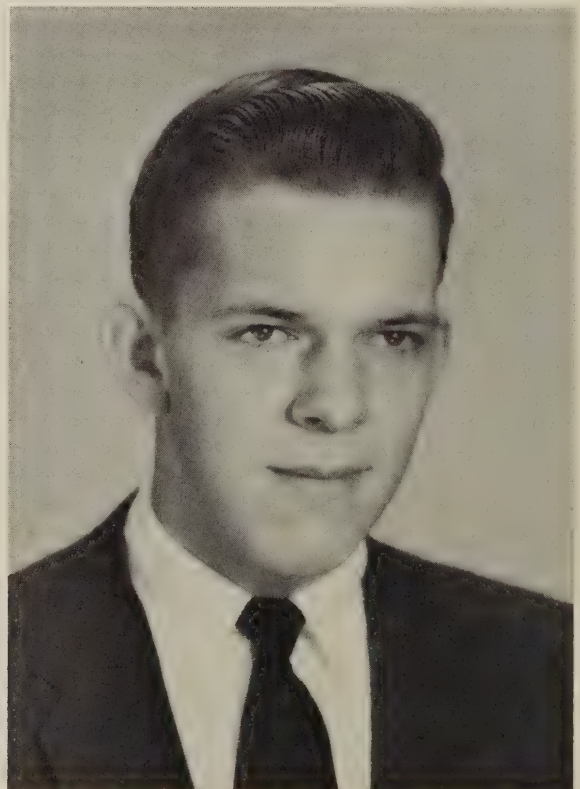
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LEROY MATTHEWS

Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Glee Club 3, 5; Varsity 2, 3, 4, 5; Thespian 3, 4, 5; S.C.A. 4; Football 5.



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HENRY MAXEY

Transferred 3; F.F.A. 3, Reporter 4,5; Baseball 4,5.

IRBY MONCURE

Library 1,2,5; Dramatics 1,2,3,4, Treas. 5; Glee Club 1,3,4,5; Thespian 4,5; Contest Play 4; S.C.A. Officer 5; Baseball 3,4,5; Safety Patrol 1,2; Fire Warden 4.

GLORIA MURRAY

Dramatics 1,2,3,4,5; Thespian 4,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Commercial 4; Varsity 3,4,5; Glee Club 2,3, Sec. 4 & 5; Ram's Horn 2, Sport's Editor 3; Class Officer 4; Softball 2; Basketball 2,3, Co-Captain 4 & 5; Cheerleader 1,3,4,5; S.C.A. Officer 3.



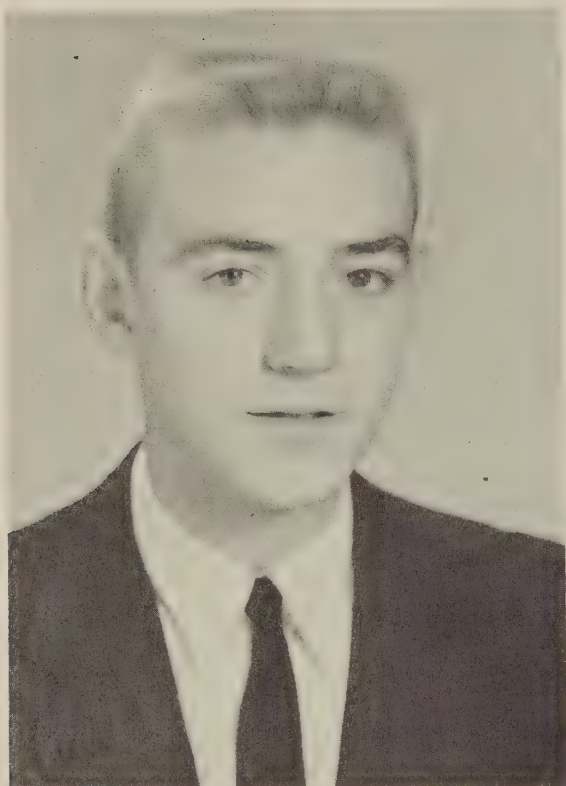
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EMERY NAUGLE

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F.F.A. 2,3, Sec. 4,5; Football 3,4,5; Baseball 5.

RICHARD NICHOLS
Dramatics 3,4,5; Library 2,3, Pres. 4,5; Ram's Horn 3,5; Safety Patrol 1; Glee Club 3; Commercial 5; Varsity 4,5; S.C.A. 5; Football Manager 3; Baseball 4,5.

HAROLD PALMORE
F.F.A. 1,2, Vice-President 3,4,5; S.C.A. 4,5; Glee Club 2.



RICHARD NICHOLS



HAROLD PALMORE

MATILDA POWELL

Dramatics 1,2, Sec. 3,4, Pres. 5; Thespian 2, Pres. 3 & 4,5; National Honor Society 4, Treas. 5; Ram's Horn 2, Ass't Editor 3,5; Glee Club 3,4,5; Band 4; Library 3,4,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Basketball 2,3; S. C.A. 2,4,5; S.I.P.A. 2; Contest Plays 3,4; Best Thespian 3; Plays 2,3,4,5; Girl's State 4; Quill and Scroll 5.

JANET RICE

Library 1,2,3, Sec. 4,5; F.H.A. 2; Glee Club 4,5; Commercial 4,5; Dramatics 5.

PATRICIA RITCHIE

Dramatics 1,2,3,4,5; Thespian 5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Commercial 4; Varsity 4, Board 5; Library 1, Sec. 2, Treas. 3, Sec. 4,5; F.H.A. 3, Pres. 4, Treas. 5; Ram's Horn 2,3,4, Business Manager 5; Glee Club 1,2, Sec. 3,4,5; Softball 2,3; Basketball 3,4, Co-Captain 5; Homecoming Queen 5.



MATILDA POWELL



JANET RICE



PATRICIA RITCHIE



WILLIAM SHORE ROBERTSON

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Dramatics 2,3, Vice-Pres. 4,5; Library 2,3,4,5; Ram's Horn 2,3,4,5; Safety Patrol 1; Varsity 2,3,4,5; Thespian 4,5; Class Officer 2,3,5; S.C.A. 3,4,5; District Executive Committee; Representative to Memorial Center; Football Manager 2; Boys' State 4; Plays 4,5.

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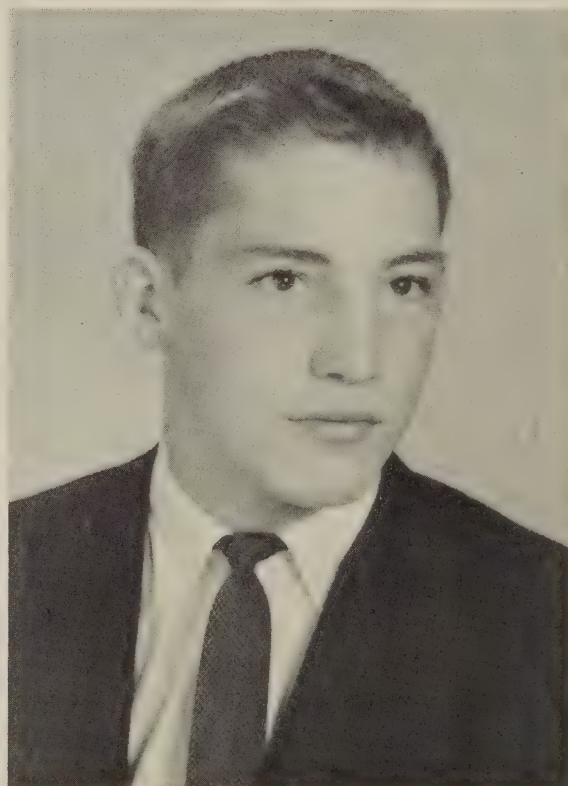
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BUCKY SHELL

Football 1,2,3,4,5; Basketball 1,3,4, Co-Captain 5; Baseball 1,2,3,5; S.C.A. 5; Dramatics 1,2,3,4,5; Library 1,2,3; Safety Patrol 1; Varsity 3,4, Board 5.



LILLIE ROGERS



BUCKY SHELL

of '57

WAYNE SIMONTON

Football 4,5; Basketball 1,2,3,5; Baseball 3,4,5; F.F.A. 3, Reporter 4, Pres. 5; Safety Patrol 2.

JENNIE STOKES

Dramatics 1,2,3,4,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Library 2,3,4,5; Ram's Horn 2, Bus. Manager 3, Editor 4; Glee Club 3,4,5; Thespian Sec. 3,4,5; Commercial 4,5; Basketball 4,5; S.C.A. Officer 5; Annual Staff 5; National Honor Society 4,5; Quill and Scroll 5; S.I.P. A. 2,4; State S.C.A. Convention 3; Plays 2,3,4,5.

GRACIE TOMPKINS

Library 4, Sec. 5; Glee Club 4,5; Band 4; Commercial 3,4,5; Softball 1,3.



WAYNE SIMONTON



JENNIE STOKES



GRACIE TOMPKINS

Class of '57



JOYCE WILLIAMS

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Glee Club 1,2,3; Library 2,3,4,5; Play 2; Dramatics 1,2,3; Safety Patrol 3,5; F.H.A. 3,4,5; Commercial 4, Treas. 5; Homecoming Court 5.

JAMES WILLIAMSON

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Commercial 3.

JEAN WILLIAMSON

Class Officer 5; Commercial 4,5; Dramatics 1,2,3; Library 1,2,3,4,5; Glee Club 1,2,3; F.H.A. 3,4,5; Ram's Horn Ass't Pro. Editor 4, Production Editor 5.



JAMES WILLIAMSON



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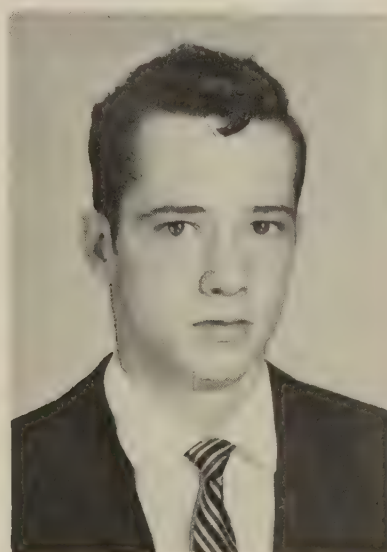


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Junior Class



Pauline Abernathy

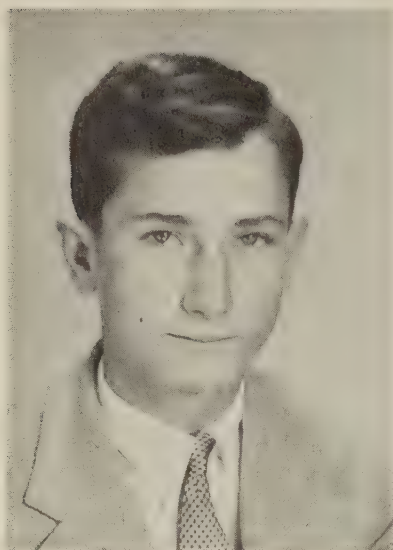


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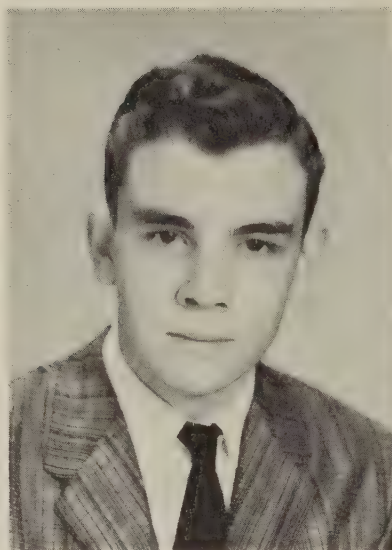


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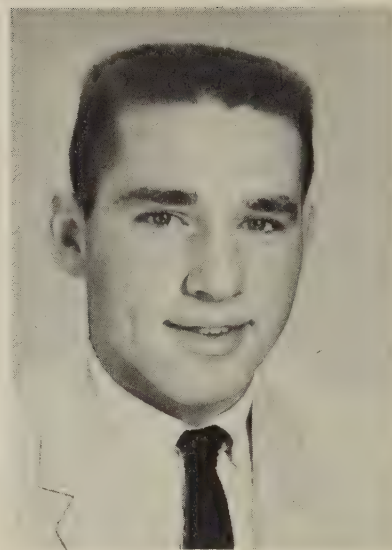
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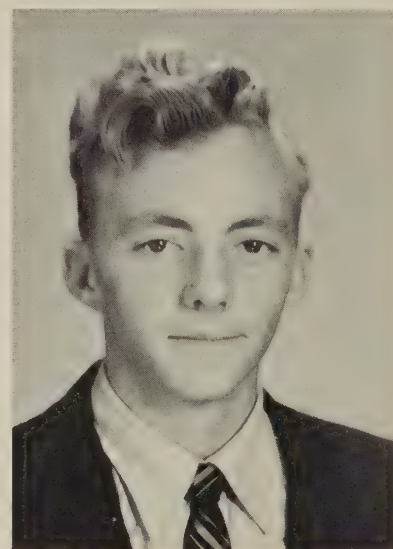
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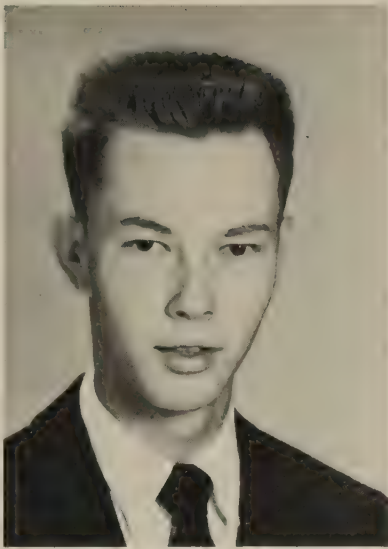
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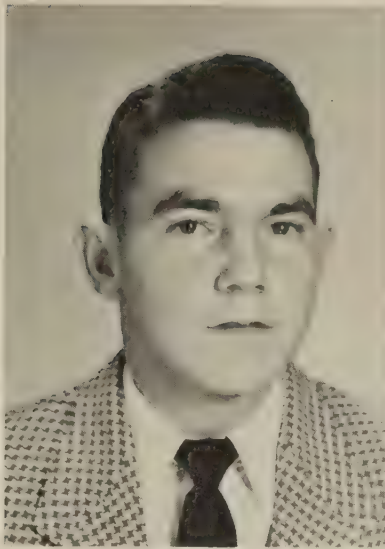
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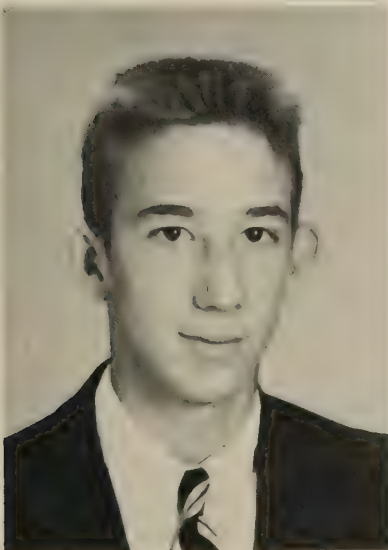
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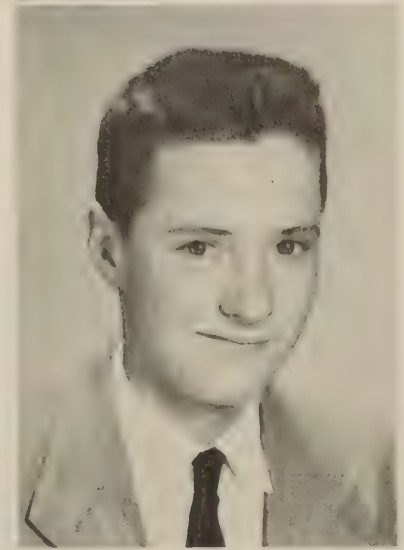
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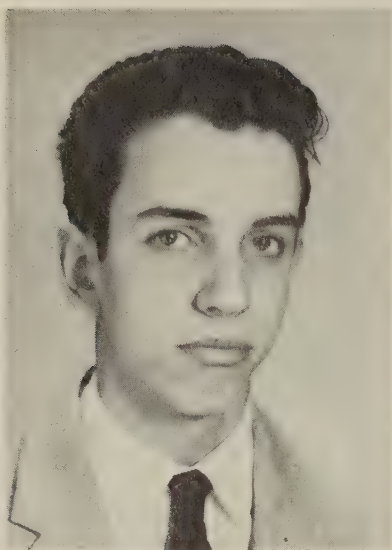


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Bill Monahan

Class of '58



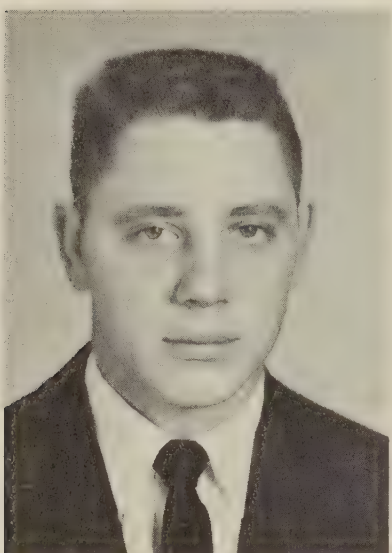
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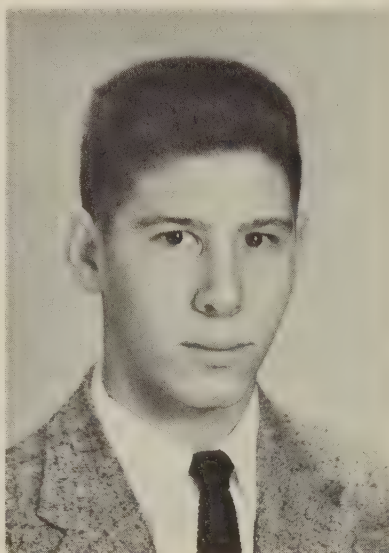
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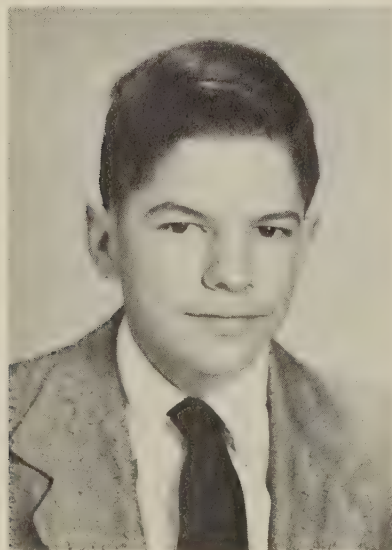
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Walter Williams

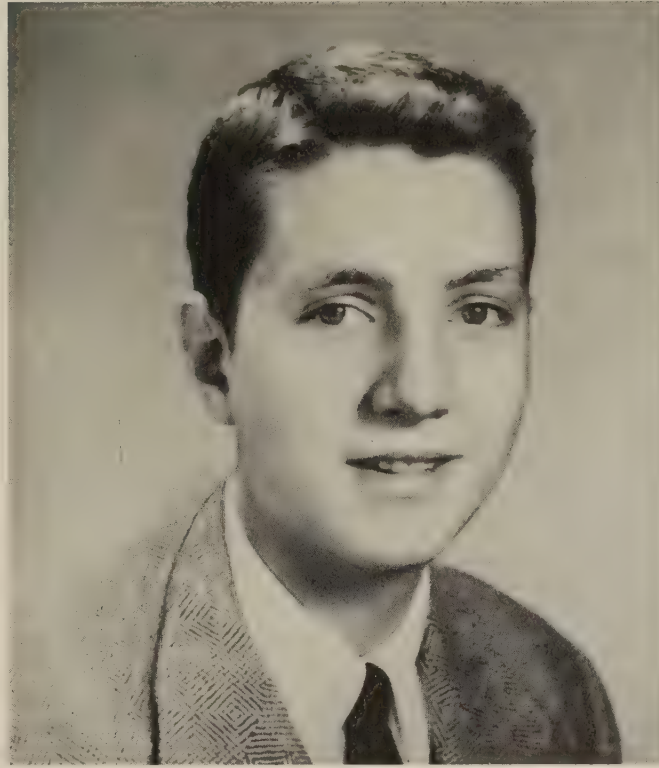


Patsy Williamson



Wayne Wray

In Memoriam



SAMUEL LEONARD HARRELSON
1940 1956

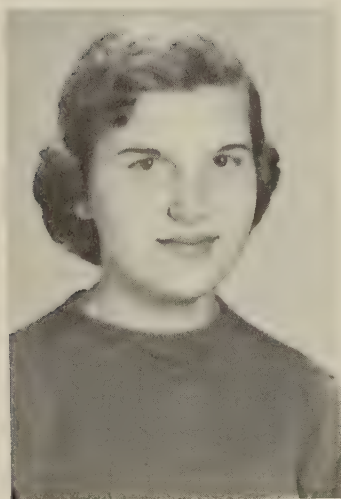
Someone has said that it is not life that matters; it is the courage with which you live it. Measured by that standard, Sam's life was full and rich. Through all the years of pain and weakness, he never admitted defeat. When he was unable to attend classes, he kept up his interest in everything that we did at school. He kept his zest in music even when he was too weak to express it with his beloved drums.

It is hard for us to realize that Sam's gallant fight is over. It is hard too for us to express our feelings in words, but we have faith that he did not lose. His was a victory of a spirit that did not know defeat. We are grateful for all that he has given us. Our school work and games and fun have become more valuable to us because we realized what they could mean to him. Many of us, we hope, have become more thoughtful and considerate because of our visits and our letters to him. Because he was our friend, we are better, and wiser, and braver.

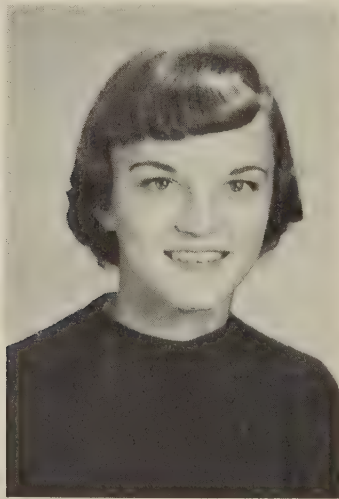


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Sophomore Class



Connie Sue Akers



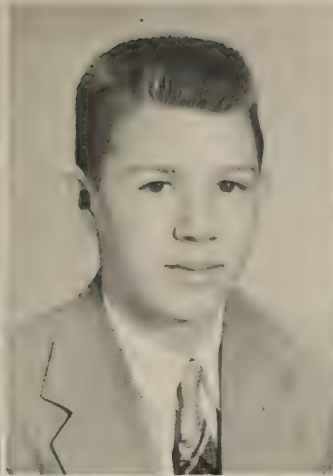
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Joyce Caswell

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Class of '59



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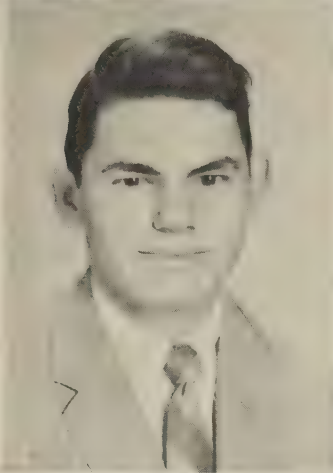
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Mary Ann Drawbond

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Lawrence Hamlett

Clyde Harvey

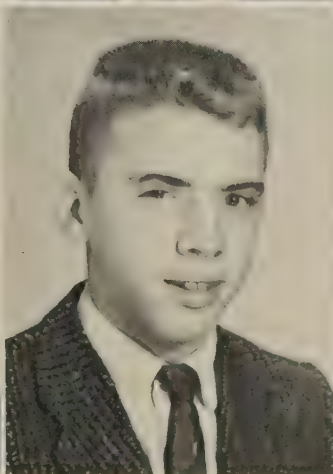
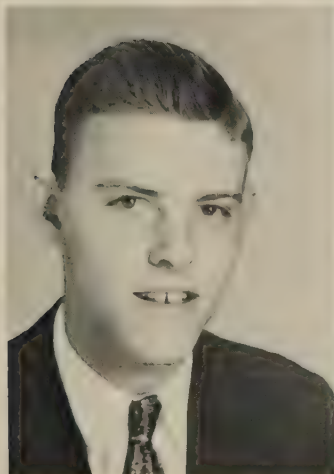
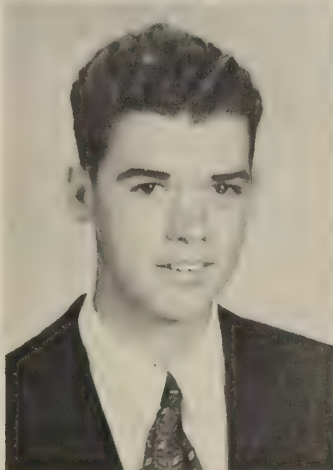
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Howard Huff

Gordon Lee



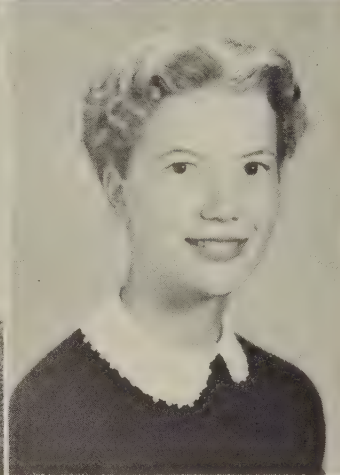
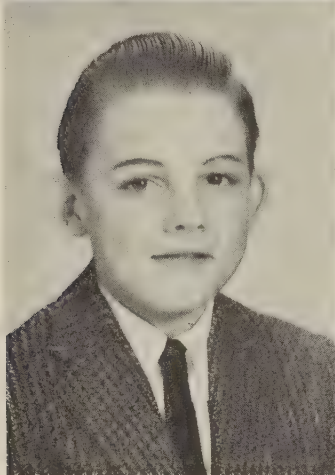
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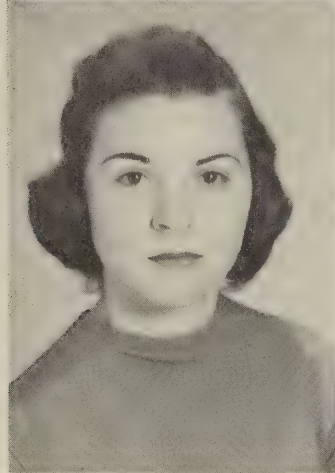
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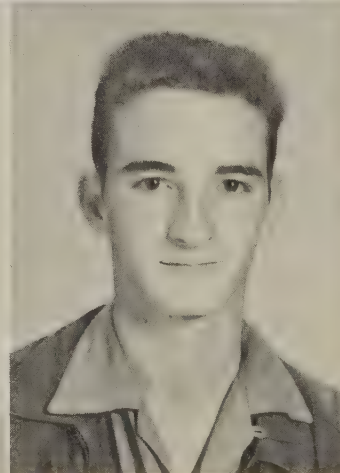
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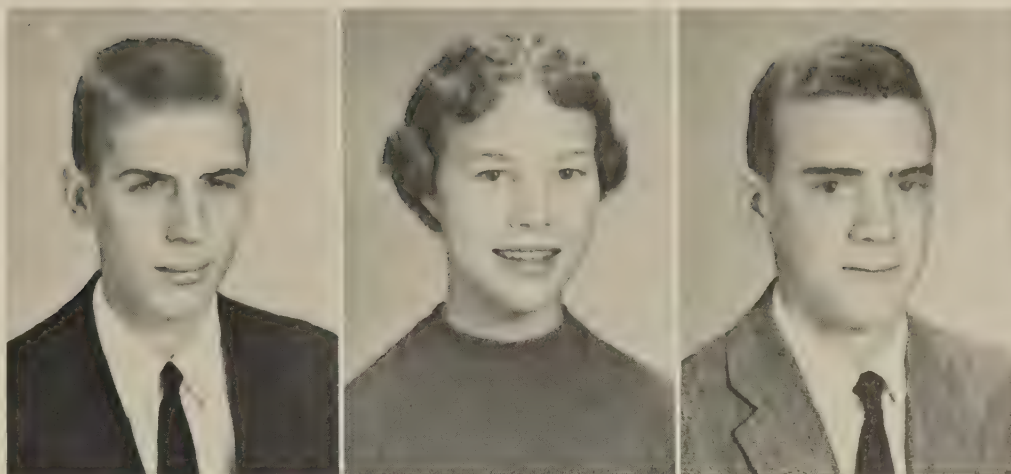
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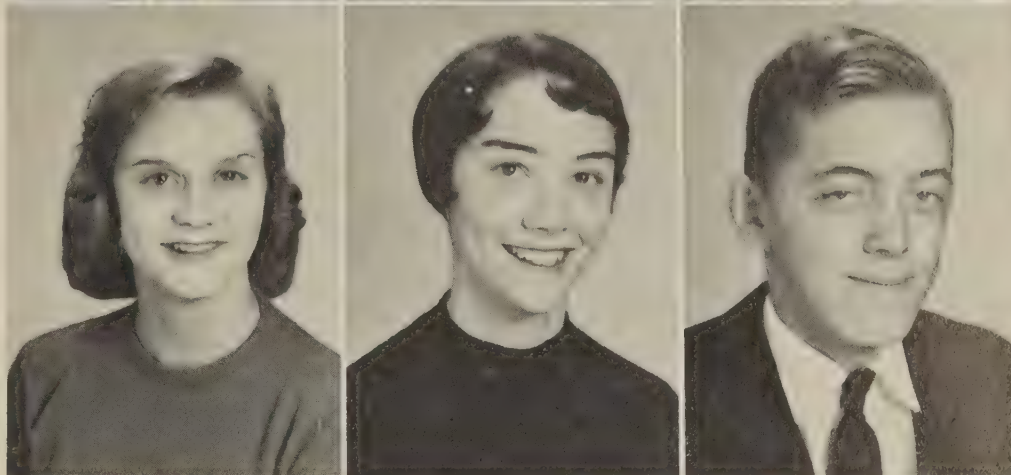
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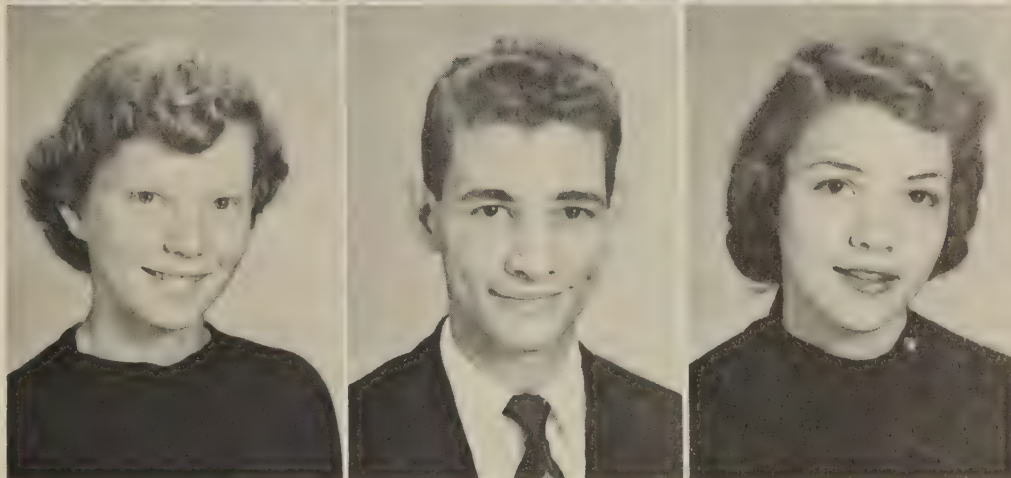
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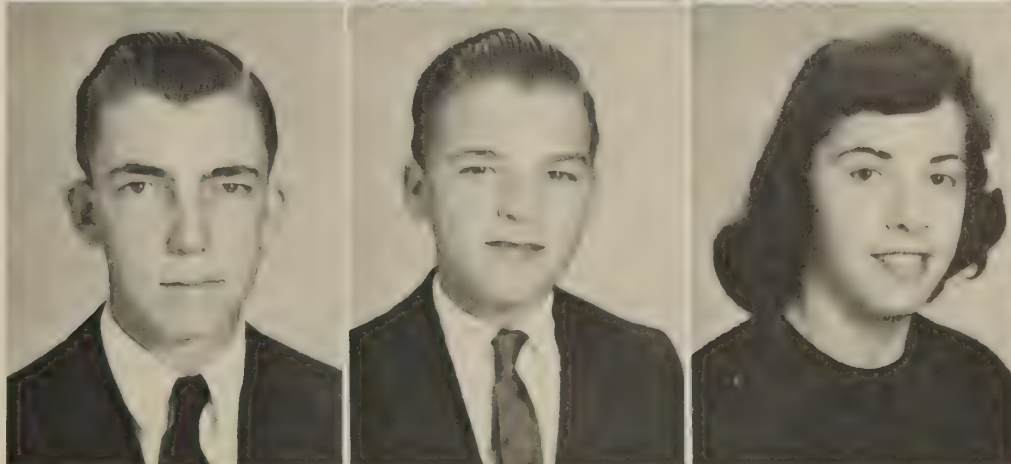
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Tommy Utley



Mildred Webb
Dwight Wenger
Patsy White



Robert Williams
Travis Winn
Betty Ann Wray



In Memoriam



HUGH YELVERTON III
1941 1956

This year the old students and teachers of Blackstone High School are realizing the loss of a very wonderful friend. Those of us who really knew him and to whom he meant so much could readily say you couldn't hope or expect to know a finer person.

Hugh Yelverton accomplished much in different phases of his brief life. There was his dedicated church work, his successfully rising athletic ability, and scholastic capability --all backed with true sincerity. There was the everyday side of his nature, too.

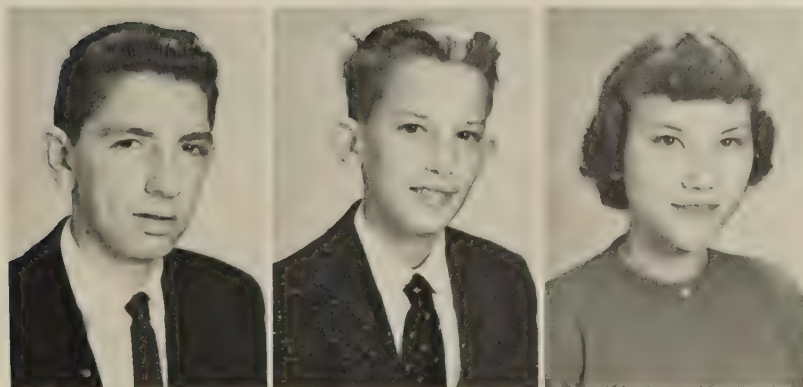
Hugh was "fun-to-be-with" and the type you missed when he wasn't around. He was faithful as a friend and dependable. He was easy to talk to and a good listener, too. Consideration, helpfulness, honesty, and cheerfulness, in the very best sense of the word, were all traits of his character. He was just an all-around likeable boy.

For us, there has been a blank feeling of something lacking on not finding him at the movie or the Youth Center or at church and now at school. Although we all will have to accept his absence, we will keep dear the memory of those great times together with the best of friends.



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS: President--Joe Sharrer; Vice-President--Herbert Crowder; Secretary--Jane Spruill; Treasurer--Mary Sue Boisseau; S.C.A. Representatives--Walter Mac Jones and Sue Ellen Tuggle.

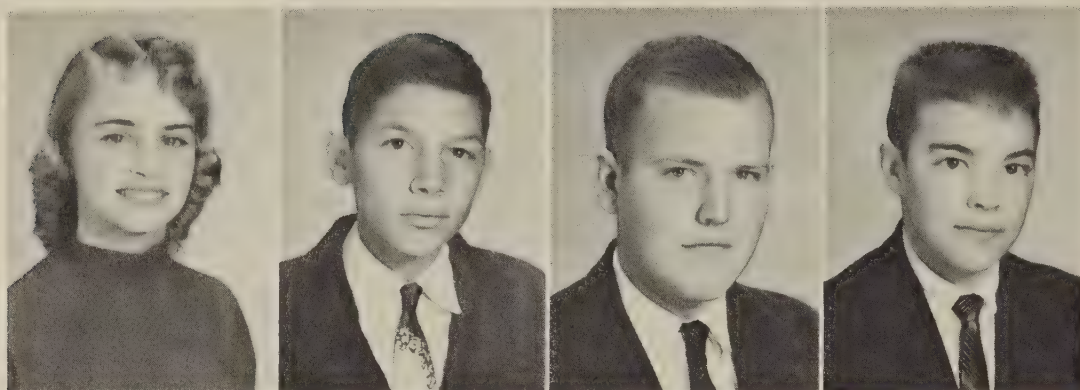
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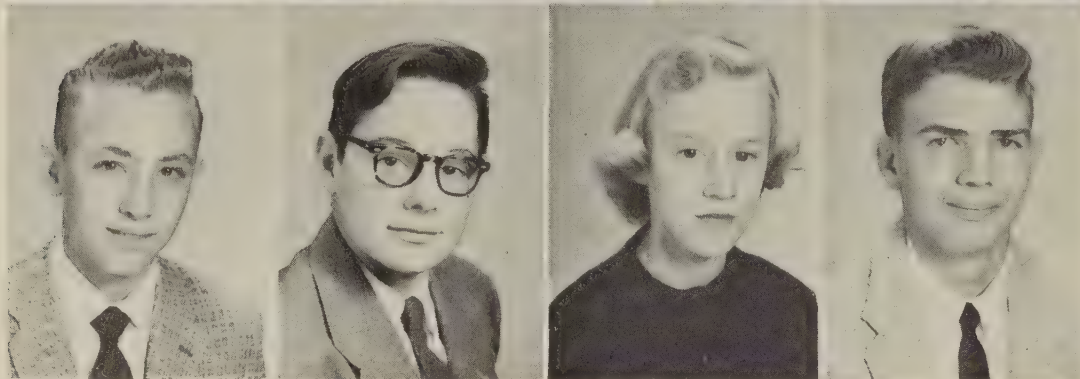
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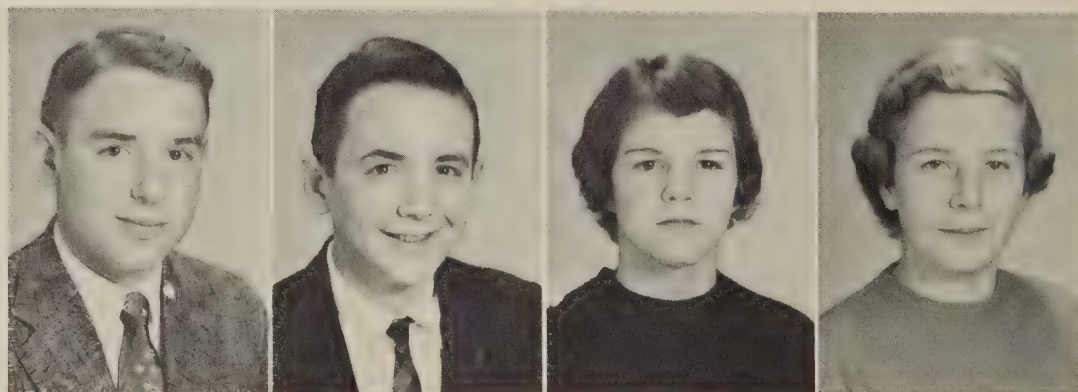
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Tucker Clark
Herbert Crowder



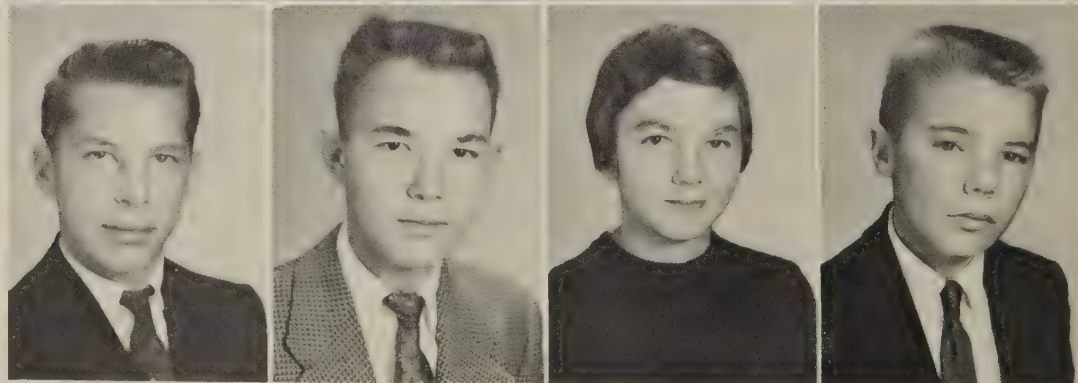
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Danny Falwell

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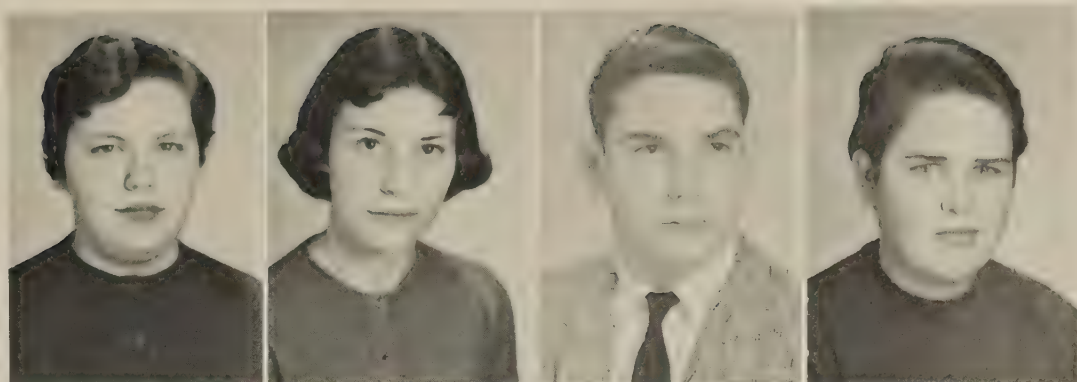
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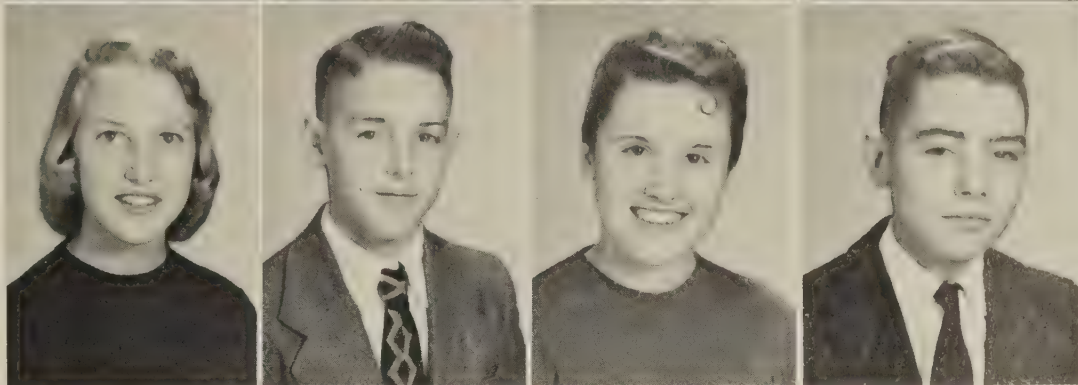
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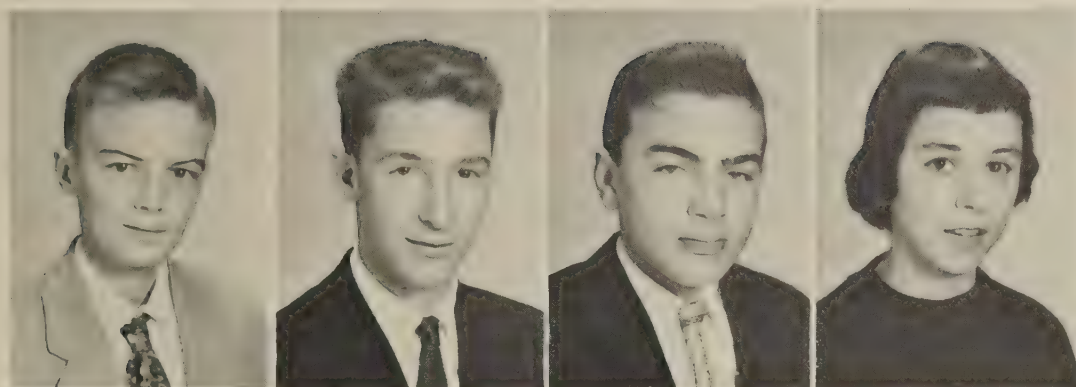
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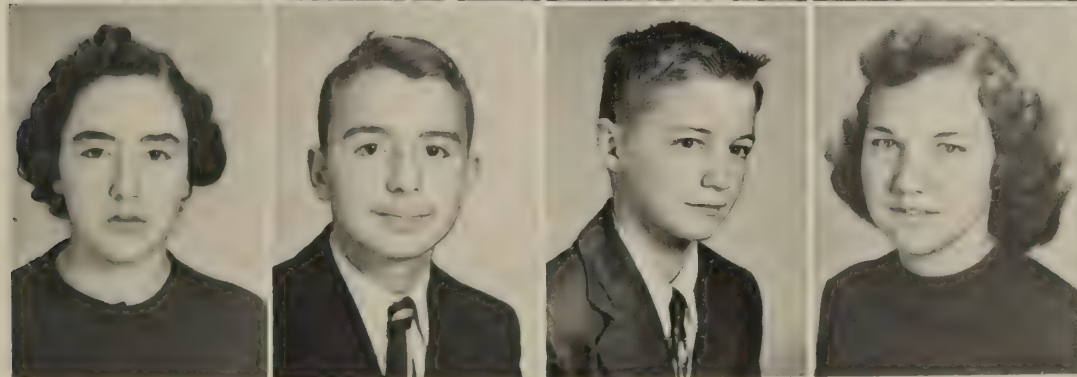
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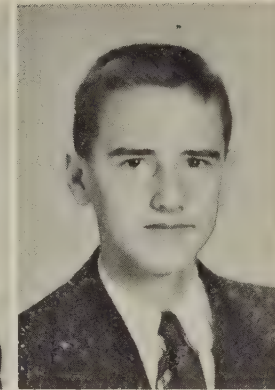
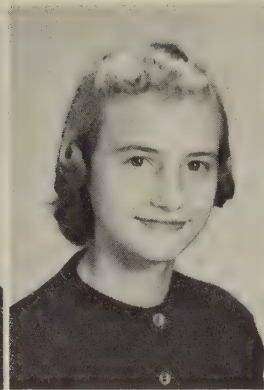
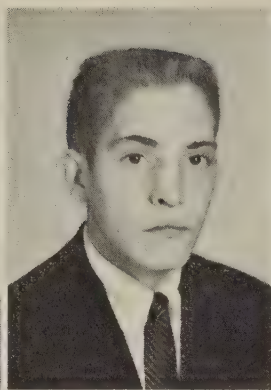
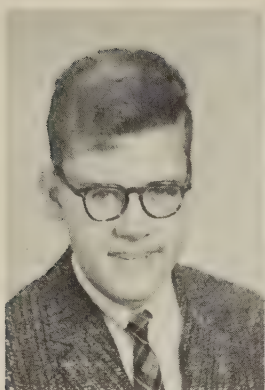
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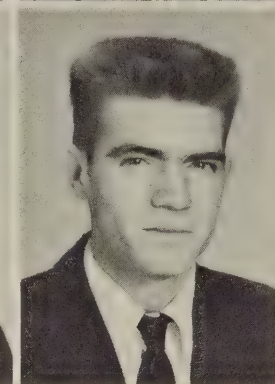
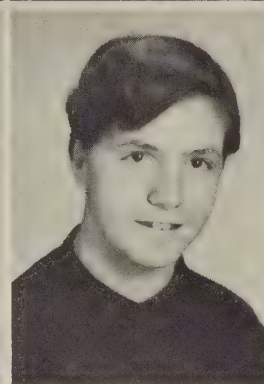
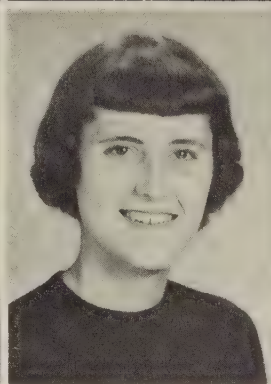
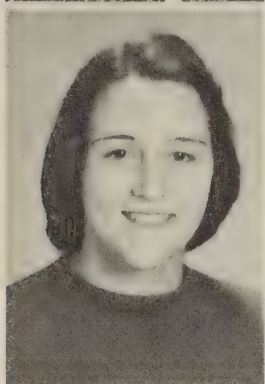
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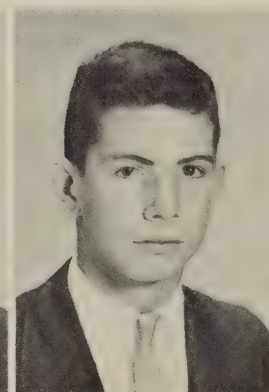
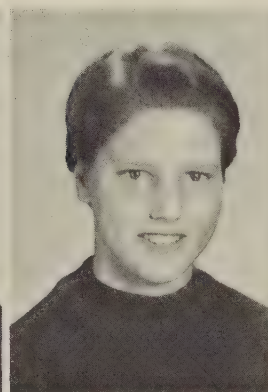
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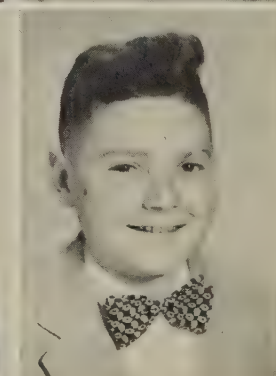
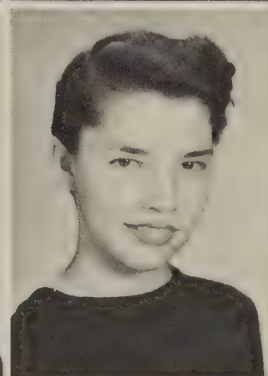
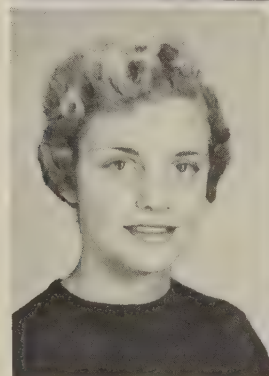
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Betty Stell
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Tommy Upson
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Elsie Watson
Geraldine Williams
Patricia Wilson
Peter Zaepfel



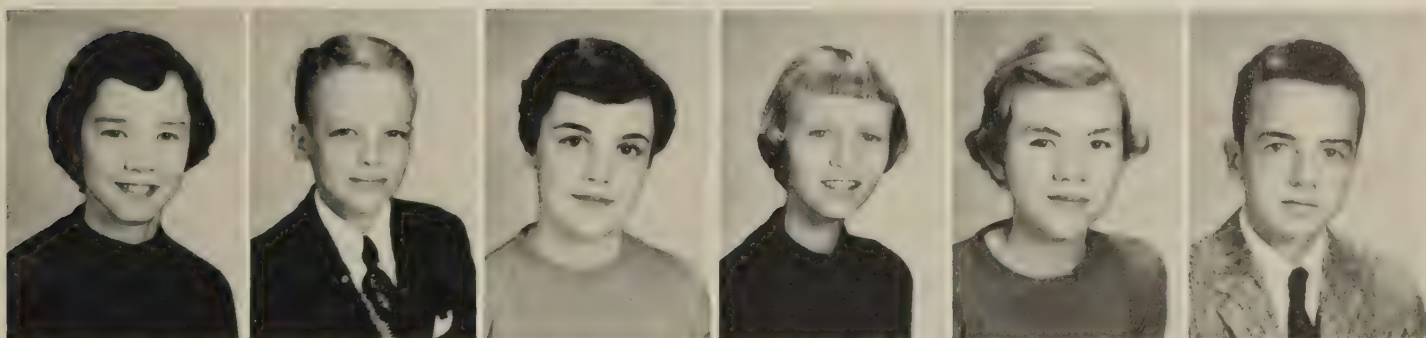


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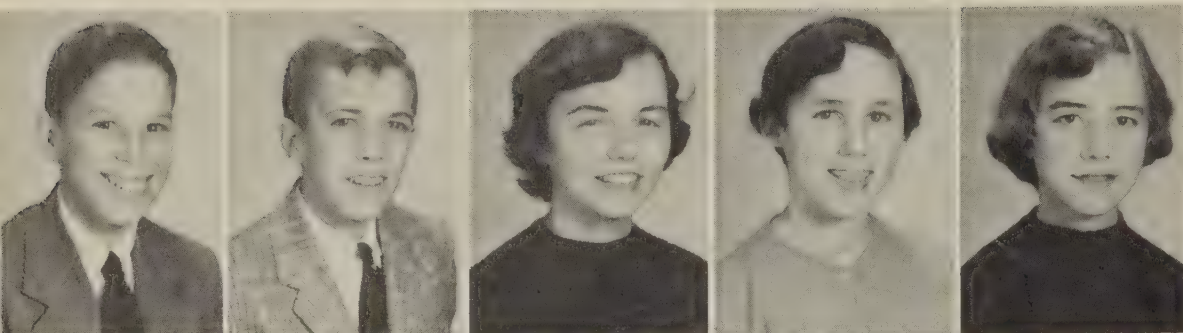
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Gray Bradford
Brownie Cassell
Della Ann Christian
Susan Clay
Shelby Crewes



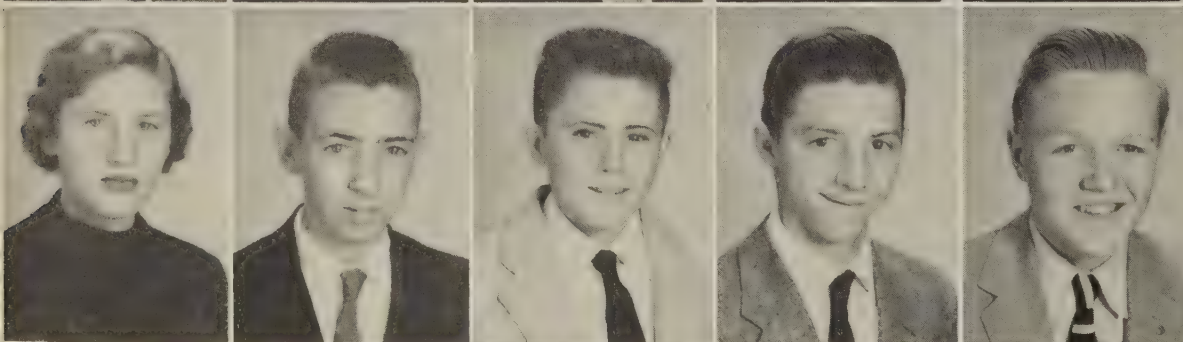
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Harris Daniel
Patsy Daniel
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Wilson Hardy
Vera Harris
Betty Ann Hastings



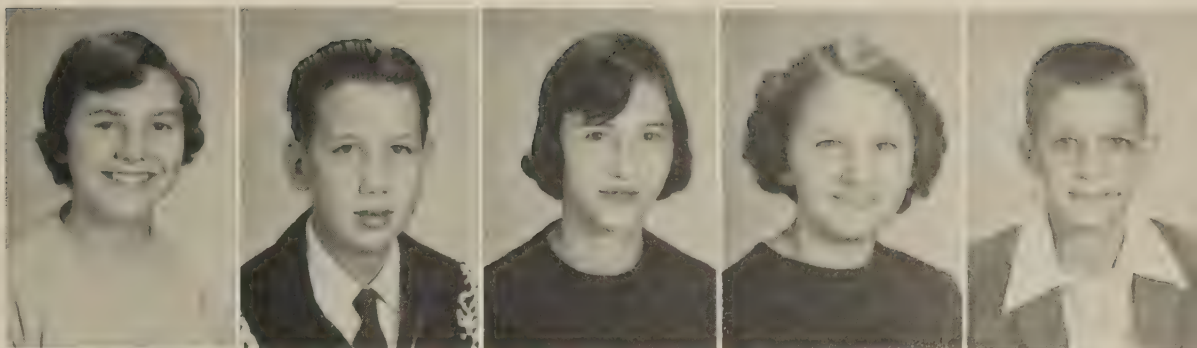
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Joe Jackson
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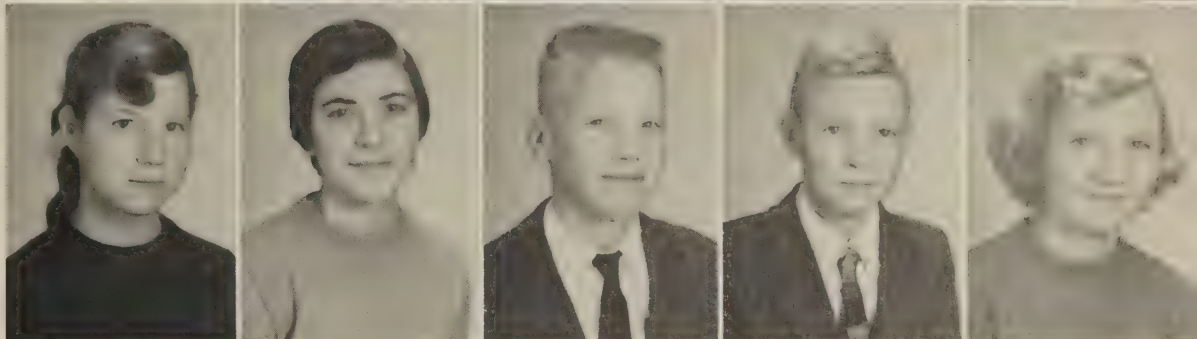
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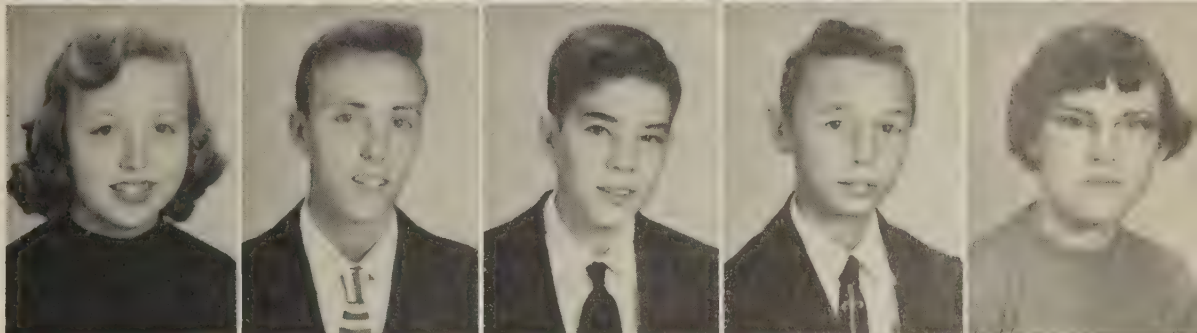
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Wayne McDaniel



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Robert Procise
Tommy Rash
Bobby Reynolds
June Rockwell



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Daisy Mae Tompkins
Claude Thompson



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Harold Throckmorton
Lillie Turner
James Wagner
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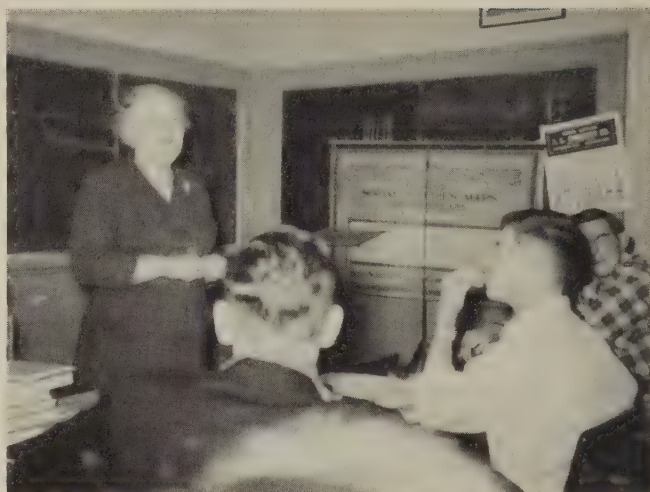


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Wilbur Wells
Willie Louise Wells
Sammy West
Wanda Wilcher

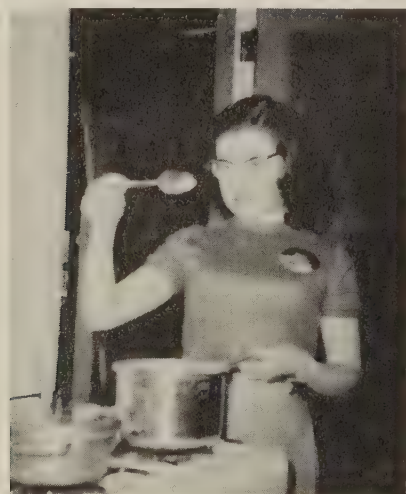




Sonny reports on international affairs while Mrs. Cobbs takes her "notes".



A classroom scene featuring Mrs. Jordan vs. the Juniors.



"Double, double toil and trouble; Fire burn and caldron bubble."

What'sa matter, Chops?

Scenes That You Will Likely Find Around B. H. S.



"O. K. gang, take five."

Bobbie enjoys paying Larry for her lunch almost as much as she does eating it.





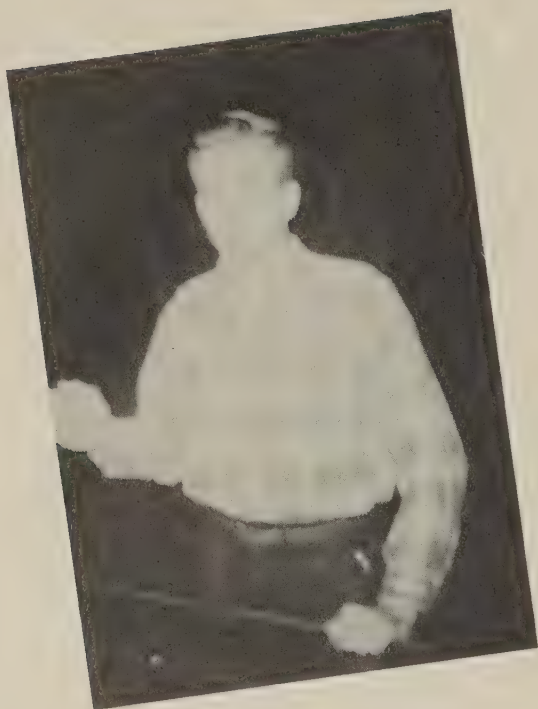
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Student Council

The S.C.A. is an organization which provides the students with a school government. It prepares them for their future roles as good citizens and leaders in a democracy. It helps to promote cooperation among the principal, faculty, and students. The success of the organization is due to each student's feeling for democracy in his school as well as his country.

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President Joe keeps us
"To Order."

Front Row: Miss Hammock, Sponsor; Joe Borum, President; John Koonce, Vice President; Larry Good, Treasurer; Jennie Stokes, Recording Secretary; Irby Moncure, Corresponding Secretary; Page Landers, Song Leader; Jimmy Papouchis, Pianist. Second Row: Patricia Barrow, Dorothy Hallet, Rich Crinkley, Bobbie Love, Betty White, Jane Spruill, Tommy Rogers, William Robertson. Third Row: Matilda Powell, Betty Wray, Patsy Williamson, Bucky Shell, Vaniene Hardin, Richard Hardy. Back Row: Walter M. Jones, Della Ann Christian, Pauline Abernathy, Bobby Daniels, Luto Nichols, Harold Palmore, Meriwether Hurt.





Front Row: Ray Via, Dwight Good, Dale Carrier, Walter Williams, Frank Dalton. Second Row: Mr. Epes, Sponsor; Conway Moncure, Town Lieutenant; Buck Clark, Captain; J. T. Joiner, Jerry Williams, Joyce Williams, Alice Gunn, Pauline Abernathy, Martha Hastings. Back Row: John Procise, Bus Lieutenant; Harry Felts, Robert Williams.

Safety Patrol

The Safety Patrol of Blackstone, organized in order to promote safety coming to and going from the school, is always on duty. In any weather, these patrolmen are present to help the students. The bus patrolmen have to maintain order on the buses, and see the students off the bus and across the highways. The town patrolmen are on duty on the street corners near the school to help the students across the streets. The Safety Patrol is essential to the safety of our school.

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Captain, Buck Clark
realizes the importance
of the Safety Patrol.



Front Row: Larry Good, Rich Crinkley, Lillie Rogers, Lois Hawkes. Kneeling, Meriwether Hurt. Standing: Betty White, Jennie Stokes, Patsy Hutcherson, Mrs. Jordan, Sponsor; Matilda Powell, Patricia Barrow, Mrs. Hutcherson, Sponsor.

Lillie's articles are always in on time.



Quill And Scroll

The Quill and Scroll Society is a National honor organization, composed of students chosen by the faculty, who have shown outstanding ability in the field of writing. Although this is the first year of its organization in B.H.S., it has proved its usefulness.



Seated: Matilda Powell, Treasurer; Jennie Stokes; Lillie Rogers, Vice President; Lois Hawkes, Secretary; Vaniene Hardin. Standing: Meriwether Hurt, S.C.A. Representative; Mrs. Weatherford, Sponsor; Larry Good, President.

National Honor Society

In the two years since it has been organized in Blackstone, the Wigglesworth Chapter of the National Honor Society has set a high standard of service and scholarship. Membership in the society is based on scholastic record, character, and leadership, and is prized as one of the highest honors that a student can obtain. The club is responsible for a bulletin board and is compiling a register of Blackstone Alumni. It has also earned money to establish a service fund.

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Larry and Lois post the Honor Roll.





Front Row: Rich Crinkley, Myra Phelps, Janet Rice, Lois Hawkes, Betty Kjeldsen, Secretary; Irby Moncure, Treasurer; Matilda Powell, President; Billy Weatherford, Vice President; Matilda Powell, President; Billy Weatherford, Vice President; Vaniene Hardin, S.C.A. Representative; Mrs. Jordan, Sponsor. Second Row: Sonny Hammock, Larry Good, William Robertson, Jane Spruill, Jane Gracey, Page Landers, Conway Moncure, Bobbie Love, Joan Tunstall, Mazie Thacker, Betty Wray, Richard Hardy. Third Row: Nancy Beville, Carolyn Good, Jennie Stokes, Pat Hutcherson, Pat Ritchie, Pat Barrow, Gloria Murray, Shirley Ritchie, Betty White, John Koonce, Dorothy Hallett, Charlene Bedall. Fourth Row: Peggy Patterson, Anita Patterson, Betty Krenzer, Harriet Papouchis, Audrey Davis, Larry Hammack, Charles Rogers, Bobby Daniels, Bobo Jones, Jerry Hoyle, Wilson Hardy, Robert Hawkes. Back Row: Dickie Forrester, John Longmire, T. C. Atkinson, W. D. Gibbs, Luto Nichols, Carol Bridgeman, Bucky Shell, Joe Borum, Tommy Daniel, Leroy Matthews, Meriwether Hurt, Jerry Good.

Matilda reads Portia's speech.



It's not all learning lines as Bucky can tell you.



Dramatic Club

The Dramatics Club offers much to the student who is willing to work. The club presents plays each year. On these plays each person has a part to do. Some are the actors, but others do important work also. The artists who paint the scenery, the carpenters who make the sets, the seamstresses who sew the costumes, and the Ushers and Usherettes who help in the auditorium ---all do their part to make this an important club.

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Thespian Society

Thespian Troupe 891 is a member of the national honor society for dramatics. Membership is earned through work in acting, stage work, or management. The Society sponsors the contest play and an annual spring play. This year, with the largest membership since its organization. The Society will celebrate the Golden Anniversary of the school by presenting one of the Classics that Mr. Wigglesworth directed.

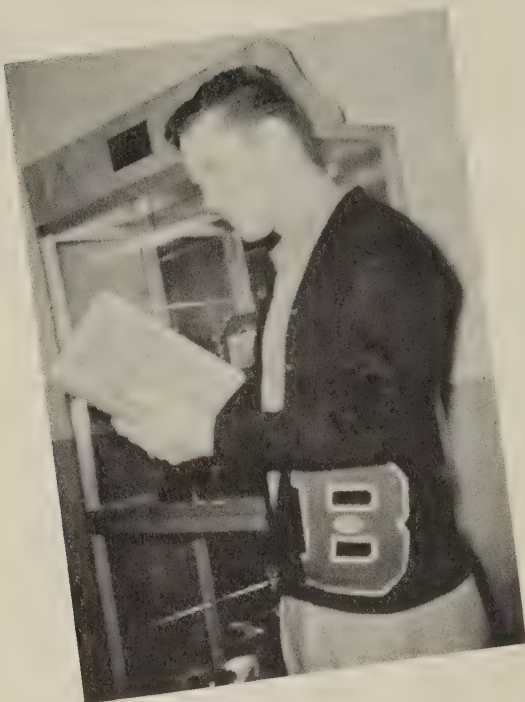
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Mrs. Jordan listens as Jerry and Page recite an important scene from "The Curious Savage."

Seated, left to right: Vaniene Hardin, Betty Kjeldsen, Jennie Stokes, Rich Crinkley, S.C.A. Representative; Mrs. Jordan, Sponsor; Jerry Good, President; Patricia Barrow, Secretary; Billy Weatherford, Vice President; Page Landers, Matilda Powell, Gloria Murray. Standing: Meriwether Hurt, Charlene Bedall, William Robertson, Leroy Matthews, Pat Ritchie, John Koonce, Larry Good, Irby Moncure.





Bobby doesn't have to resort to books to learn how to play his ballgames.

Varsity Club

The Varsity Club is an organization composed of members who have earned letters in football, basketball, baseball, softball, or as managers or cheerleaders. This club is governed by a board of 5 members. The purpose of the club is to achieve higher standards of athletics and scholarships.



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Front Row: Cheerleaders: Betty Kjeldsen, Patsy Hutcherson, Peggy Patterson, Patricia Barrow, Vaniene Hardin, Gloria Murray, Betty White. Second Row: Bobby Daniels, Bucky Shell, Bobo Jones, Pat Ritchie, Larry Good, John Koonce, Coach Farris. Third Row: Nancy Beville, Audrey Davis, Nancy Chiles, John Longmire, T. C. Atkinson, Jerry Good, Luto Nichols, William Robertson. Fourth Row: Ludson Hudgins, Charlotte Leis, Charles Rogers, Richard Hardy, Tommy Daniels, Joe Borum, Billy Weatherford, Leroy Matthews, Conway Moncure. Back Row: Richard Slaw, DeWayne Collins, Herbert Rutledge.





Pep Club

The Pep Club works toward the betterment of school spirit in the athletic events of the school. As members, each is required to (1) attend all home games (2), work in the concession stand when needed (3), keep the stadium in good order during football season. Activities associated with athletics are sponsored by this club.



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Tommy and Nancy studying together? This shot was "fixed."

Is that Steel that Page is taking the ticket from?

Front Row: Cheerleaders: Patricia Barrow, Gloria Murray, Betty Kjeldsen; Mr. Willson, Sponsor: Carol Bridgeman; Audrey Davis, Vice-President; Joan Tunstall, Secretary; Cheerleaders: Betty White, Patsy Hutcherson, Vaniene Hardin. Second Row: Sue Ellen Tuggle, Patricia Wilson, Jennie Stokes, Pat Ritchie, Matilda Powell, Nancy Jones. Susan Clay, June Rockwell, Betty Atkinson. Third Row: Jane Gracey, Patsy Williamson, Joy Jones, Myra Phelps, Roberta Kendall, Mary Randolph Maddux, Willie Louise Wells, Audrey Blevins, Sally Kate Beville, Rebecca Gracey, Bobbie Love. Third Row: Bonnie Rockwell, Elsie Mae Watson, Mazie Thacker, Betty Ann Wray, Shirley Perkinson, Sandra Phelps, Connie Akers, Betty Daniels, Della Anne Christian, Shirley Ritchie, Jane Spruill, Virginia Daniel. Back Row: Willa Decker, Nancy Simonton, Peggy Patterson, Anita Patterson, Harriet Papouchis, Betty Krenzer, Carolyn Good.





Ivy Staff

The Annual Staff is the organization which is responsible for our school annual, the Ivy. It takes hard work and long hours to complete this yearbook. However, all this work is well rewarded as each year the yearbook is improved. This year, which is the 50th anniversary of the school, the Annual shows promise of being better than ever. Each year members of the Ivy Staff attend the meetings at SIPA.

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Patricia helps Meriwether's case of
"Editor's nerves."

Seated: Mrs. Jordan, Sponsor; Meriwether Hurt, Editor; Patsy Hutcherson, Business Manager; Betty White, Assistant Editor. Standing: Patricia Barrow, Senior Editor; Bobbie Love, S.C.A. Representative; Joan Tunstall, Assistant Business Manager; Walter M. Jones, Photographer; Dickie Forrester, Photographer; Betty Kjeldsen, Typist; Jennie Stokes, Feature Editor; Joe Borum, Sports Editor.





Seated: Left to Right: Grace Tompkins, Treasurer, Matilda Powell, S.C.A. Representative; Lois Hawkes, Secretary; Page Landers, President; Mrs. Peerman, Sponsor; John Koonce, Vice President; Patricia Ritchie, Patricia Barrow, Bobo Jones, Irby Moncure. Standing: Front Row: Betty Wray, Jean Williamson, Peter Zaepfel, Nancy Rorer, Mazie Thacker, Joyce Williams, Pauline Abernathy, Lillie Rogers, Shirley Ritchie, Bobbie Love, Nancy Beville, Janet Rice, Anita Patterson, Rich Crinkley, Carol Bridgeman, Charlene Bedall. Back Row: Nancy Hauser, Jane Spruill, Shirley Perkinson, Nancy Simonton, Sandra Phelps, John Stokes, Robert Hawkes, Patsy Williamson, Meriwether Hurt, Jennie Stokes, William Robertson, Dwight Wenger, Luto Nichols, Joe Borum.

Mrs. "P" shakes her finger at talkers.

Library Club

The Library Club is an organization which helps students to develop an understanding of books, the library, and the use of both. To become a member, a student must have a "C" average, high citizenship rating, an attitude of willingness to help in the library, and a desire to improve the library of the school.



Wayne and James pick out books.

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Rams Horn

The Ram's Horn staff publishes the weekly school newspaper. It keeps the students informed and "up to date" with all the school activities in addition to original compositions that they write themselves.

Qualifications for membership are (1) average grades and (2) an avid interest in journalism.

Through the faithful work of the editor, members, and sponsors, the paper comes out every week, always on time.

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"I want it done this way."

Seated: Larry Good, Betty Daniels, William Robertson, S.C.A. Representative; Pat Ritchie, Rich Crinkley, Editor; Mrs. Hutcherson, Sponsor; Mrs. DeBusk, Sponsor. Standing: Conway Moncure, Herbert Crowder, Charles Orange, Robert Hawkes, Matilda Powell, Shirley Ritchie, Betty Ann Wray, Lillie Rogers, Lois Hawkes, Myra Phelps, Sandra Phelps, Patsy Williamson, Jean Williamson, Production Editor.





Seated: Nancy Chiles, President; Shirley Ritchie, Vice President; Patsy Williamson, S.C.A. Representative; Mrs. DeBusk, Sponsor; Second Row, Standing: Martha Daniel, Pansy Daniel, Carol Bridgeman, Jean Williamson, Betty Kjeldsen, Janet Rice, James Daniels, Audrey Davis. Back Row: Meriwether Hurt, Larry Good, Clyde Harvey, Martha Hasting, Dwight Wenger, Luto Nichols, John Procise, Grace Tompkins, Jennie Marshall Stokes.

Kathlene, Pansy, and Mary Archie type-up the Ram's Horn.

Commercial Club

The Commercial Club of Blackstone High School is in its second year. It is composed of students who are interested in business and are taking or have taken a Commercial subject.

The Commercial Club has three main objectives: (1) to sponsor an awards program that encourages progress in Commercial subjects, (2) to furnish typists for the school paper, (3) to assist in typing jobs related to school and town functions.

Without the help of the Commercial Club the school business would surely be handicapped.

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SEATED: Matilda Powell, Historian; Jennie Stokes, Chaplain; Betty White, Vice President; Jane Spruill, President; Bobbie Love, Secretary; Carol Bridgeman, Treasurer; Mrs. Weatherford, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: Sandra Phelps, Nancy Hauser, Mazie Thacker, Sue Ellen Tuggle, Patsy Ritchie, Pat Wilson, Page Landers, Gloria Murray, Pat Barrow. BACK ROW: Nancy Chiles, Betty Ann Wray, Connie Sue Akers, Myra Phelps, Charlene Bedell, Joan Tunstall, Patsy Hutcherson, Vaniene Hardin.

Mrs. Weatherford gets "first-hand" information on the Tri-Hi-Y from Mr. Handsen.



Tri-Hi-Y

The Tri-Hi-Y, a national extension of the Y.M.C.A., has been organized by girls committed to the purpose of creating, maintaining, and extending "throughout the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character." The club works toward (1) clean speech, (2) clean sportsmanship, (3) clean scholarship, and (4) clean living.

The maintaining of the high standards of Tri-Hi-Y will keep the girls on their toes during this first year of organization at B.H.S.

Hi-Y

The Hi-Y is a school organization which is an extension of the Y. M. C. A. Its purposes and platform are the same as the Tri-Hi-Y for girls. Some of its objectives are (1) develop a growing sense of personal worth, based on Christian concepts and values, (2) develop personal integrity and self-discipline, (3) perform useful home, church, school, and community service, (4) prepare adequately for the responsibilities of the future, and (5) prepare democratic methods.

Sincere and honest work will be necessary to get this organization on the road to success in its first year at B.H.S.



Mr. Willson Sings Bucky a lullaby.

SEATED: Sonny Hammock, Historian; T. C. Atkinson, S.C.A. Representative; Luto Nichols, Vice President; Bucky Shell, President; Harry L. Hutcherson, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Willson, Sponsor; Billy Davis, Reporter. STANDING: Larry Mayne, Richard Hardy, John Koonce, Bobo Jones, Joe Borum, Rich Crinkley, William S. Robertson, Meriwether Hurt.





Front Row: Mr. Bender, Director; Bobo Jones, President; Page Landers, Vice President; Gloria Murray, Secretary, Treasurer; Patricia Barrow, S.C.A. Representative. Second Row: Jimmy Papouchis, Dicky Forrester, Jerry Good, Gordon Lee, Alice Ann Slaw, Vernona Robertson, Lois Hawkes, Jennie Stokes. Third Row: Connie Akers, Nancy Rorer, Pat Ritchie, Mazie Thacker, Audrey Davis, Peggy Patterson, Grace Tompkins, Janet Rice. Fourth Row: Charlene Bedall, Matilda Powell, Nancy Hauser, Betty Wray, Dorothy Hallett, Jane Spruill, Mary Sue Boisseau, Jane Gracy. Fifth Row: Pat Wilson, Nancy Beville, Anita Patterson, Betty Krenzer, Harriet Papouchis, Carolyn Good, Myra Phelps, Lillie Rogers. Sixth Row: William Krieder, Harry Lou Hutcherson, Billy Davis, Danny Sheffield, Gerald Fisher, John Neff, Frank Davis, Irby Moncure. Seventh Row: Wayne Wray, John Procise, Tommy Utle, Leroy Matthews, Rich Crinkley, Dwight Wenger, Clyde Harvey.

Mr. Bender teaches us to
"Zing a little Zong."

Glee Club



The Glee Club is the musical organization of our school. Students interested in participating in this organization must have average grades and some musical ability. A fine demonstration of their ability was displayed in a Christmas program for the Parent Teacher Association. The promotion of greater interest in and participation in music in the school and community is their main purpose.



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Front Row: John Koonce, President; Jimmy Papouchis, Vice-President; Betty Wray, Secretary; Charles Orange, Treasurer; Jane Spruill, S.C.A. Representative; Mr. Bender, Sponsor. Second Row: Donny Koonce, Lucy Robertson, Barbara Beville, Leroy Bradshaw, David Umstead, Larry Davis, Alice Gaskill. Third Row: Shirley Rogers, Ann Harrison, David Jones, Johnny Inge, Hugh Longmire, Alfred Lee Vernon, Roy Hudson. Fourth Row: Patricia Harrison, Sammy Clay, Lynn Church, Martha Able, Warren Green, Irving Palmore, Billy Davis. Fifth Row: Jimmy Morris, John Maben Stokes, Herbert Crowder, Harry Hutcherson, Fred Sanger, Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Frank Davis. Sixth Row: Jimmy Happle, Buck Clark, Tommy Utley, Dwight Wenger, Richard Slaw, Dickie Forrester, Danny Sheffield, Gordon Lee.

Band

Alrighty! a-one, a-two,
a-one, two, three.



The Blackstone High School Band was reorganized last year after four years without a teacher. The members have taken classes in music for the past year and are progressing very rapidly. The Band has become very accomplished and is doing better every week. It has made up for its lack of money and time by the members' willingness to work. Blackstone's band, under the direction of Mr. William Bender, has come a long way since last year, and it promises to come even further.

Inside the Trumpet section.



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F. H. A.

The Future Homemakers of America is a national organization of pupils studying homemaking throughout the United States. The purpose of the club is to promote an appreciation for homemaking, to work for a happy home and family life. The F.H.A. motto, "Toward New Horizons", explains the meaning of the organization.

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Patsy smiles through onion tears.

Front Row: Mrs. Cassell, Sponsor; Betty Ann Leis, Patsy Williamson, Dorothy Hallett, Vice President; Alice Gunn, President; Martha Hastings, Secretary; Pat Ritchie, Treasurer; Pauline Abernathy, S.C.A. Representative; Patsy White. Second Row: Mary Sue Boisseay, Jane Gracey, Betty Krieder, Jerry Williams, Martha Daniel, Joyce Williams, Jean Williamson, Alease Hudson, Pansy Daniel, Peggy Hoyle, Charlotte Leis, Kathleen Leis. Third Row: Sandra Phelps, Betty Wray, Kirkie Spangenburg, Connie Sue Akers.





Front Row: Mr. N. Ashworth, Sponsor; Ray Brugos, Treasurer; Henry Maxey, Wayne Simonton, President; Charles Rogers, Vice President; Emery Naugle, Secretary. Second Row: Harold Palmore, S.C.A. Representative; Stuart Armes, Dwight Wenger, John Neff, Larry Hammack. Third Row: Harry Felts, Tommy Upson. Fourth Row: John Procise, Robert Williams.

Careful!!!!, Ray.

F. F. A.



The Blackstone F. F. A. Chapter is composed of boys interested in agriculture. On Farmers Day they exhibit crops and articles they have made in the shop. This year they won several awards over "tough" competition. They also participate in the crops, forestry, shop, dairy, and other judging contests. In the spring, they have a L-A-N-D Federation banquet and usually a picnic with the F.H.A. girls. Last summer they sent representatives to F.F.A.-F.H.A. camp.

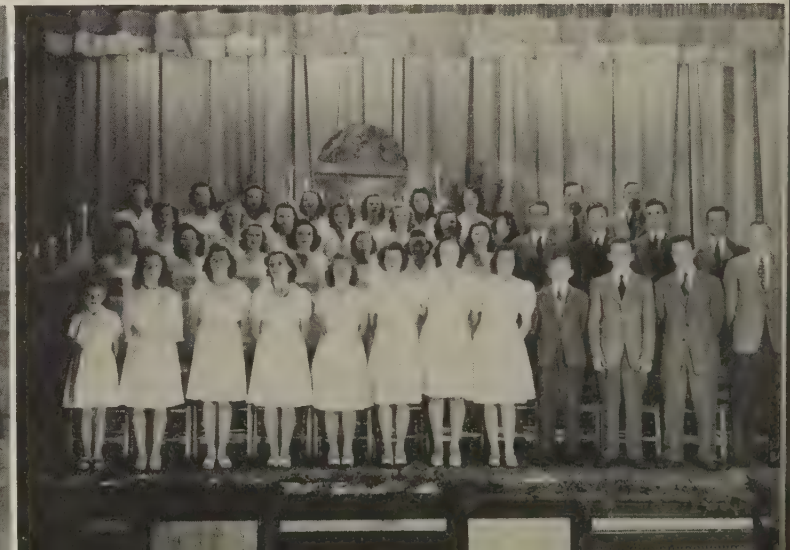
One of the main purposes of the F.F.A. is to develop progressive leadership among students of agriculture and shop classes.

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The 1915 basketball team. From left to right: Coach, J. J. [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear].
 The 1915 basketball team. From left to right: Coach, J. J. [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear].

Glimpses Of Yesterday

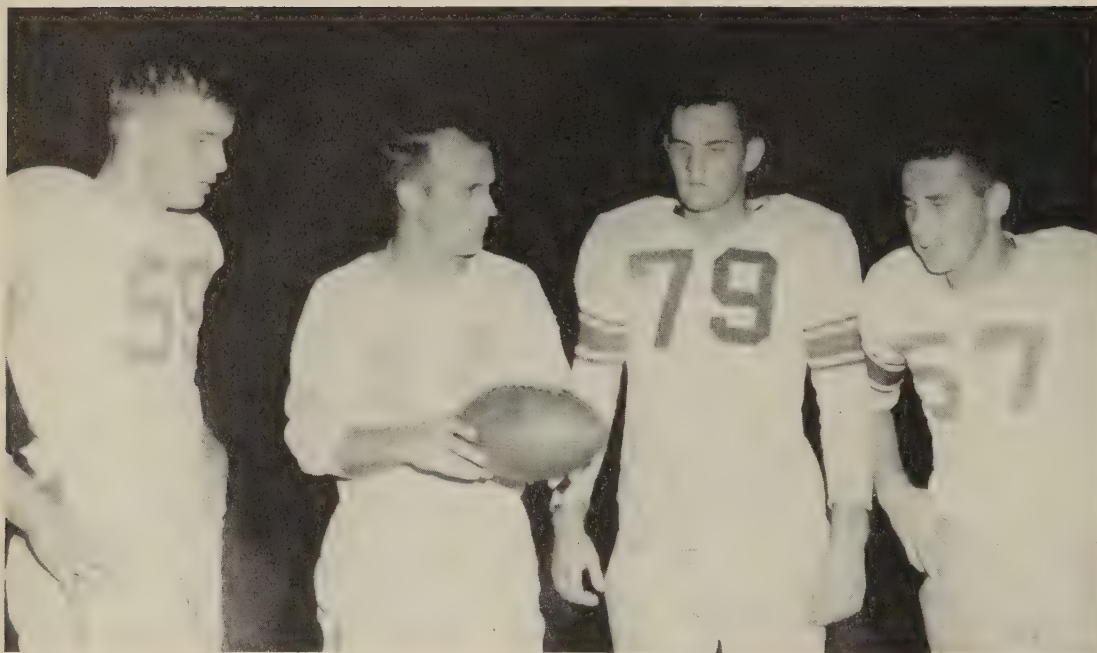




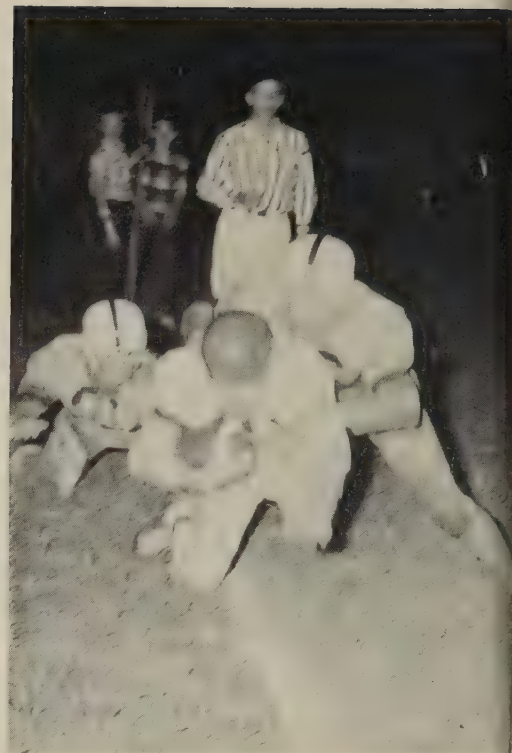
The B.H.S. Baseball Team Of 1924

Sports

Sports Snapshots



Joe Borum, Bobby Daniels, and Tommy Daniel pose for a picture with "Coach" after a hard practice session.



Come on team! Go Rams, go!



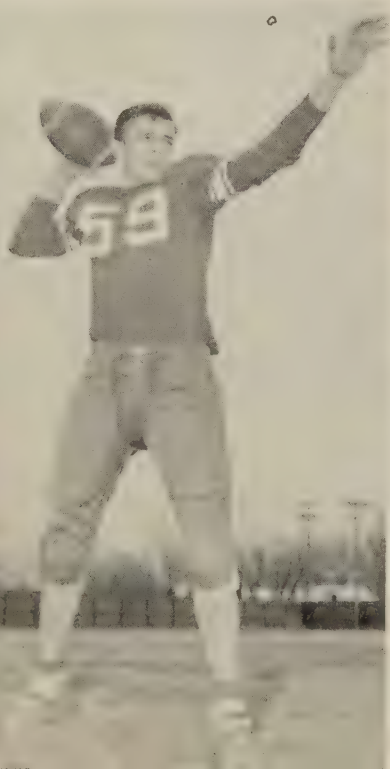
Quarterback Joe Borum exhibits the form that resulted in many B. H.S. touchdowns and extra points during the Football season.



Page, Joe, and Patsy plan the Homecoming Dance, parade, and game.

"All right now, I want you girls to go in there and do your best", Mrs. Cobbs whispers.

Will it "pay off"?





Cheerleaders: Patricia Barrow, Betty Kjeldsen, Patsy Hutcherson, Peggy Patterson, Vaniene Hardin, Gloria Murray, Betty White.

Patricia Barrow
HEAD CHEERLEADER

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B. H. S. Cheerleaders

Betty and Patsy



Vaniene and Betty





FRONT ROW: Bobby Daniels, Coach Farris, John Koonce. SECOND ROW: Larry Good, Charles Rogers, Wayne Simonton, Bucky Shell, Bobo Jones, Jerry Good, John Longmire. THIRD ROW: Randolph Shell, Jerry Hoyle, Joe Borum, Tommy Daniel, Walter Mac Jones, Meriwether Hurt, Buddy Naugle, Billy Weatherford; Larry Mayne, manager. TOP ROW: J. B. Inge, manager; Leroy Matthews, Harry Hutcherson, Ludson Hudgins, Herbert Crowder, Danny Sheffield, Richard Hardy; Thomas Phelps, manager.

Coach Bill Farris flanked by Co-captains Bobby Daniels and John Koonce.



Football

The B. H. S. Rams although they had a losing season, showed excellent sportsmanship and superior conduct on the field. They were hindered by having such a small team that the practice sessions were often limited. The team feels that they did their best.

In spite of losing ten lettermen they expect a better season next year.

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Starting Lineups

Although the Rams' record was not so impressive, Coach Bill Farris taught them football fundamentals. The coach himself was a star fullback at the University of Richmond before he began his four years in the Air Force.

B. H. S.	7	21	Appomattox
B. H. S.	65	7	Kenbridge
B. H. S.	6	19	Greensville
B. H. S.	25	6	Victoria
B. H. S.	12	7	Amelia
B. H. S.	0	6	Randolph-Henry
B. H. S.	13	32	Farmville
B. H. S.	6	0	Brunswick
B. H. S.	6	28	Crewe
B. H. S.	6	33	Parkview

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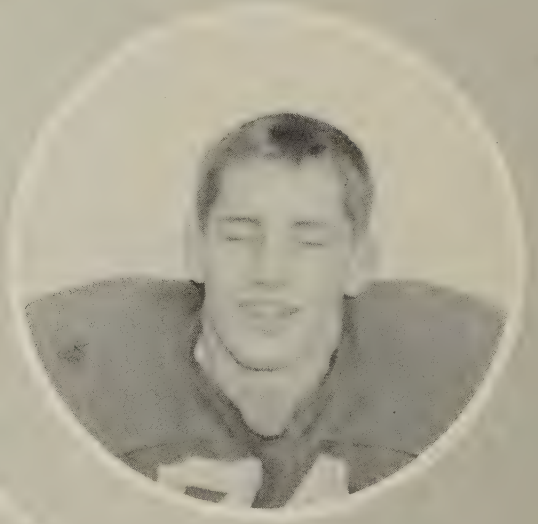
STARTING BACKFIELD: Standing: John Koonce, Halfback; Tommy Daniel, Fullback; Bobby Daniels, Halfback. Kneeling: Joe Borum, Quarterback.

STARTING LINE: Larry Good, End; Charles Rogers, Tackle, Wayne Simonton, Guard; Bucky Shell, Center; Bobo Jones, Guard; Jerry Good, Tackle; John Longmire, End.





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Pratts



Page
Landers
Senior

Joyce
Williams
Senior

Alice
Gunn
Junior

Patsy
Williamson
Junior

Dorothy
Hallet
Sophomore

Nancy
Simonton
Sophomore

Mary S.
Boisseau
Freshmen

Homecoming The Court...

HOMECOMING COURT: Seated: Mary Sue Boisseau, Joyce Williams, Alice Gunn, Ann Dalton, Page Landers. Standing: Joy Jones, Patsy Williamson, Nancy Simonton, Nancy Jones, Dorothy Hallet.





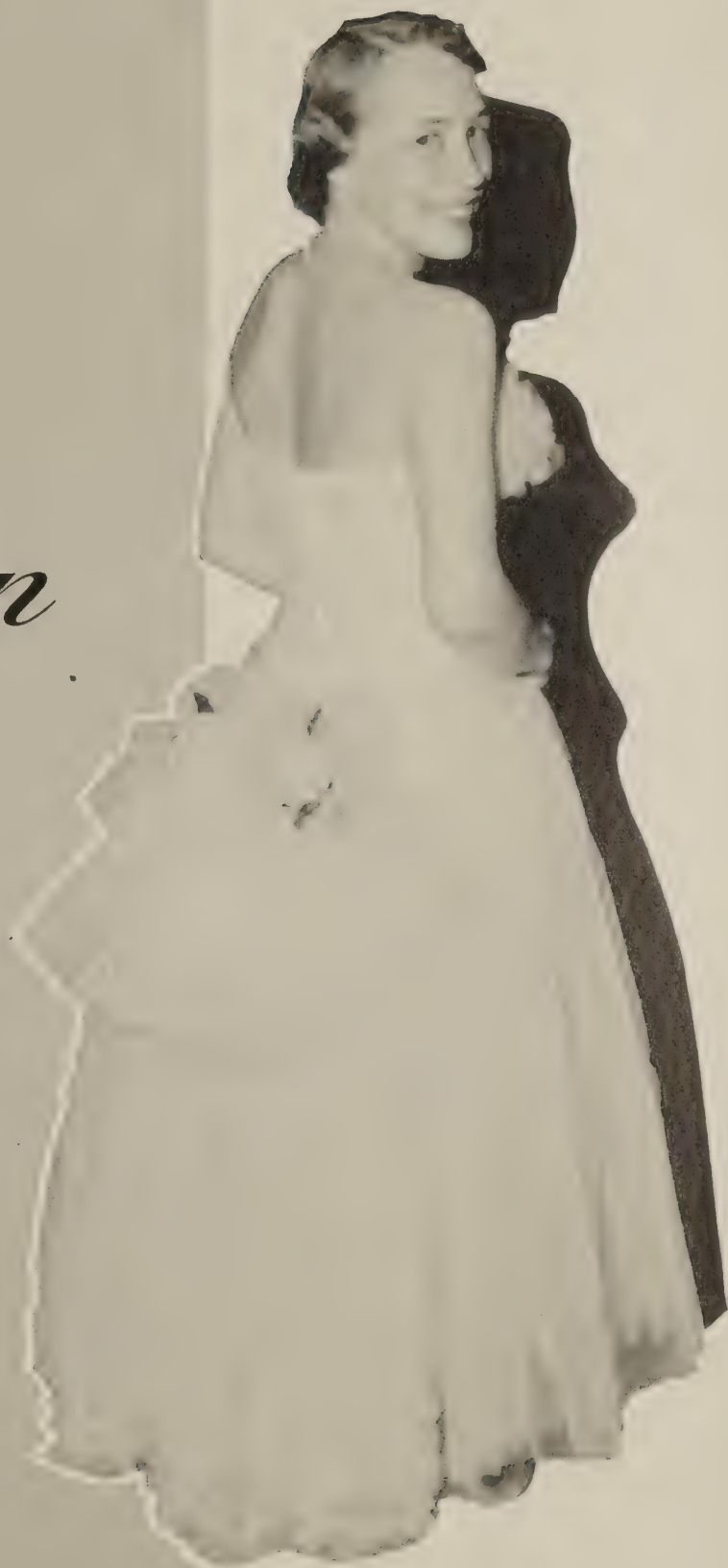
Joy
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Ann
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Nancy
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The Queen

MISS PATRICIA RITCHIE



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The girls give an exhibition of their form for the photographer.



Girls' Basketball

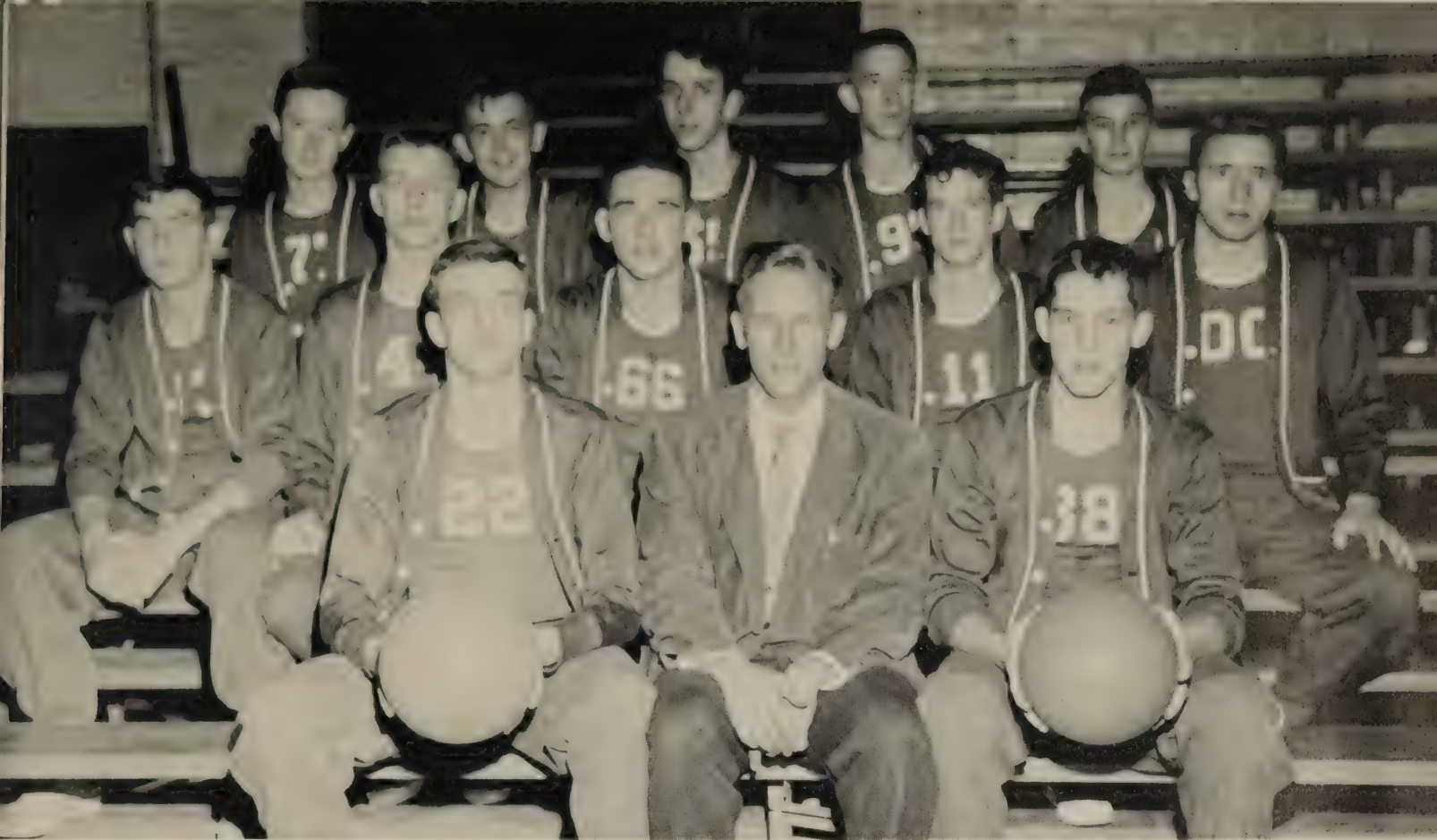
The opportunities to practice good sportsmanship as well as gain new friends make basketball the sports highlight for B.H.S. girls. Much hardwork is packed into the 3:30--4:45 P.M. practices, but it is fully rewarded when the team "clicks" perfectly to make a goal in the "real game."

Blackstone	31	19	Amelia
Blackstone	33	27	Buckingham
Blackstone	42	40	Crewe
Blackstone	39	17	Amelia
Blackstone	46	59	Brunswick
Blackstone	40	41	Victoria
Blackstone	60	39	Bluestone
Blackstone	25	34	Greenville
Blackstone	43	59	Randolph-Henry
Blackstone	68	13	Parkview
Blackstone	35	53	Randolph-Henry
Blackstone	44	35	Victoria
Blackstone	61	24	Farmville
Blackstone	40	33	Crewe
Blackstone	40	42	Kenbridge

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Front Row: Shirley Ritchie, Betty White, Charlotte Leis, Gloria Murray, Patricia Ritchie, Patsy Ritchie, Patsy Hutcherson, Carol Bridgeman, Betty Daniels. Second Row: Patsy Williamson, Nancy Rorer, Vaniene Hardin, Bobbie Love, Nancy Simonton, Betty Kjeldsen, Jane Gracey. Third Row: Peggy Patterson, Nancy Chiles, Joan Tunstall, Jennie Sotkes, Mrs. Cobbs, coach. Fourth Row: Carolyn Good, Harriet Papouchis, Sandra Phelps. Fifth Row: Barbara Burton, Pat Wilson. Sixth Row: Jane Spruill.





FRONT ROW: Joe Borum, Captain; Coach Farris; Bucky Shell, Captain. SECOND ROW: Jerry Hoyle, Wayne Simonton, Tommy Daniel, T. C. Atkinson, John Koonce. BACK ROW: Bill Monohan, Dickie Forrester, Jimmy Papouchis, John Longmire, Charles Orange.

Boys' Basketball

In training from November through February, the boys basketball team built up enough power this year to win a top place in the district tournament. Scores were not the only things that rated high, for with their natural love of the game, the team's spirit and sportsmanship were at the top, too.

Blackstone	38	32	Kenbridge
Blackstone	58	42	Amelia
Blackstone	43	33	Greensville
Blackstone	41	47	Buckingham
Blackstone	30	40	Farmville
Blackstone	45	51	Crewe
Blackstone	56	38	Amelia
Blackstone	53	40	Brunswick
Blackstone	41	45	Victoria
Blackstone	56	39	Bluestone
Blackstone	56	47	Greensville
Blackstone	46	41	Randolph-Henry
Blackstone	34	45	Parkview
Blackstone	63	53	Randolph-Henry
Blackstone	45	38	Victoria
Blackstone	69	67	Farmville
Blackstone	48	30	Crewe
Blackstone	52	51	Kenbridge



Two more points for the BHS Rams.

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